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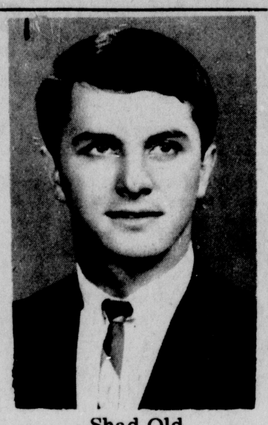
Weather

Fair to partly cloudy Wednesday. Cooler Wednesday. Low tonight 30 to 35. High Wednesday in the 50s.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 56 and 21 degrees.

Sunset today - - - - - 5:56 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow - - 6:23 a.m.
The moon, at apogee today, sets tomorrow at - - - - 12:25 a.m.
Jupiter and Regulus are high overhead tonight at - 11:08 p.m.
Next month at this time Jupiter will be northwest of Regulus.



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Shad Old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shad Old will be an alto saxophone soloist with the high school band, late division, at its annual spring concert Friday night.

He is a senior and plays first sax in the band, and a member of the wrestling tream. He will play John Morrissey's "Nightfall," written especially for saxophone and band.

Other selections by the band will include Highlights from the "Unsinkable Molly Brown" and Latin American numbers.

Seven Fined In Court

Judge M. E. Montgomery heard these cases in magistrate court today:

Philip W. Henley, 320 Pam, speeding, fined $17.50 and costs.

Ollie A. Lands, route one, charged with careless and imprudent driving, failure to yield right-of-way, pleaded not guilty, case continued to next week.

Elmer C. Steil, South Holland, Ill., speeding, fined $17.50 and costs.

Harry P. O'Neill, Maywood, Ill., speeding, fined $16 and costs.

Tiny Franklin, Winter Garden, Fla., driving while intoxicated, fined $50 and costs.

Albert Thomas, Cape Girardeau, defective brakes, fined $5 and costs.

Ben T. Griffin, Deering, speeding, fined $16 and costs.

James A. Hatchett, 214 Felker, charged with having no operator's license, dismissed and costs ordered certified.

Edward Cobb, route four, no operator's license, fined $5 and costs.

Luther B. Dyer, Jefferson City, charged with speeding dismissed upon payment of costs.

Three File for School Posts

PORTAGEVILLE -- Three candidates have filed for election to the R-1 board of education. Two board members will be elected at the April 2 election.

Incumbent Elza Lester has filed for re-election. Others filing were Francis James and Metts Hawkins.

The other incumbent, Max Holloman, is not seeking re-election.

Minor Damage To School Trophy

MATTHEWS -- High school students and faculty were given a momentary scare Monday when the large state basketball Class M championship basketball trophy fell when a temporary display table collapsed.

A small piece was broken from one of the statue mountings on a pedestal. It can be repaired.

The trophy weighs approximately 30 pounds, is about 14 inches high, with a two by 10 inch walnut base. The center display trophy is nine inches square, with two side mountings.

It was presented to the school after the Matthews Pirates defeated Boonville in the state tournament in Columbia Saturday, 70-61.

Report Grass Fires

Burning trash caused a grass fire at 11:50 a.m. today in a lot near Bob's Grab Bag on Highway 60 West.

No damage was caused, firemen reported. Firemen also were called to extinguish a trash fire in a yard behind 315 Westgate at 7:35 p.m. Monday.

The dry and windy conditions make trash burning extremely dangerous now, firemen said. Residents are being asked not to burn trash today because of windy conditions.

Bay windows became popular in England in the mid-1400s when they were built at Oxford and Cambridge Colleges and in many castles.

Beaver Wins Educator Award

Gordon Beaver, choral director at Sikeston high school, was named today as Sikeston's outstanding young educator.

The award is made annually by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Professional qualifications, community and civic activities and stature with students were taken into consideration in choosing the winner, Jerry Burge, chairman of the project, said.

More than 17 teachers were considered for the award. A panel of three judges composed of Franklin Struwe, an accountant with R. Clinton Construction Co.; Sam Harbin, vice president of the Bank of Sikeston; and Ken Hawkins, general manager of KMPL, unanimously agreed on Beaver.

He will be presented a plaque and a $50 bond at the Jaycee annual awards banquet in April. Beaver also will be entered in the Jaycee state contest for outstanding young educators.

Beaver has taught at Sikeston High School since 1955 after graduation from Central Methodist College in Fayette, where he received a bachelor of music education.

He worked for his masters of education degree during summers and received it from the University of Missouri at Columbia in 1966.

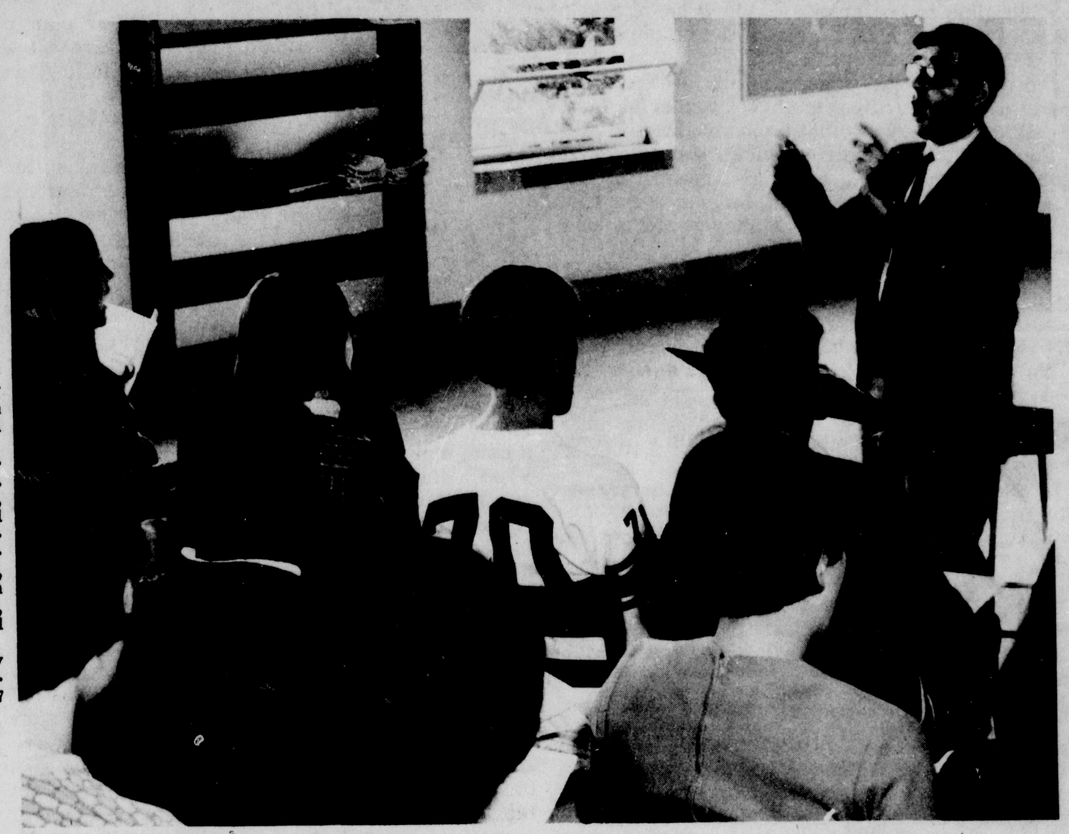
In addition to teaching students in the 10th through the 12th grades in mixed chorus, music theory and concert choir, Beaver is a private teacher of voice and piano. He maintains about 50 students in both winter and summer along with his regular duties.

One of the most rewarding aspects of his work is to see young people learning to play piano, he said.

Beaver was named as "Young Man of the Year" by the Jaycees in 1965. He is a member of the Kiwanis club, the National Educaton Association, music educator's national conference, American choral director's association, Sikeston community teacher's association, American Guild of Organists, and Missouri State Teachers Association.

He has been the Sikeston Community Choir director nine years. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha, Chamber of Commerce cultural arts and attainment council, civic auditorium committee, Southeast Missouri choral festival, Sikeston Little Theatre, High School P-TA, square dance club, and open door Sunday School class.

Beaver and his wife, Mary Joyce, have two children, Michael and Gary. They live at 417 Clayton.



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200 Bushels of Soybeans Stolen

AID -- Two hundred bushels of field soybeans valued at about $2.50 a bushel were taken Sunday from the Ralph Mayo farm near here, the Stoddard County sheriff's office reported today.

The grain was hauled off in a large dual-wheel truck.

About two weeks ago 85 sacks of soybeans which had been cleaned for seed were taken from the Clarence Smith farm, near the Mayo farm, the highway patrol reported.

Each sack contains two bushels of soybeans. The seed soybeans are valued at about $3 a bushel.

The highway patrol is checking area grain elevators to find out if the stolen grain has been sold.

Three Hurt in Crash, Lumber Load Burns

Three were injured in a two-car collision in Pemiscot county. A trailer tandem loaded with lumber caught fire and burned.

Monday at 7:30 p.m. on route K in Pemiscot county, two miles west of Pascola, Sidney Denham, 37, Blytheville, driver of 1964 Chevrolet truck was blinded by lights from an approaching car, and smashed into the rear of a 1955 Plymouth, driven by Omer O'Neal, 57, Bragg City, the state patrol reported.

Denham received cuts on his face and forehead, and chest injuries. His wife, Ivern O'Neal, 48, had cuts on her face and legs, and a 10-year-old son, Allen, had cuts on his face.

The injured were taken to the Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti.

A 1967 Mack tractor trailer, driven by Elige Kirk, 26, Jonesboro, Ark., lost its cargo of three by eight feet timber destroyed to fire, Monday at 4:45 p.m. on highway 61, three miles south of Portageville.

The timber was reported to have caught fire from the exhaust from the tractor. The trailer was unhooked and pulled into a nearby ditch until it was burned out, the patrol reported.

Dirksen Backs Viet Policy To Avoid Propaganda

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) – Senate Minority Leader Everett Dirksen said Monday night that one reason he defended the Johnson administration's Vietnam policies was to avoid providing propaganda to the Viet Cong.

He cited a Viet Cong leaflet he said was sent him by a U.S. soldier. The leaflet, he said, urged U.S. troops to refuse to fight, demand repatriation and "get out of South Vietnam before it's too late."

"And they quote the distinguished senator from Oregon, Wayne Morse, to prove the case," Dirksen told a gathering at a $100-a-plate Republican dinner. Morse, a Democrat has been a frequent critic of the war.

"I'm not going to see myself or my colleagues in that kind of fix," Dirksen said.

The veteran senator from Illinois said he supported Johnson in Vietnam "because he is the commander-in-chief and he's the only commander-in-chief we have."

Indian Village To Be Restored

A tract of land nine miles southeast of East Prairie will be restored as an Indian village, Sam Jones of East Prairie, a collector of Indian artifacts, told the Rotary club last night at the Rustic Rock Inn.

The state park board had bought the tract.

He explained that the study of Indians was important because "The future is based on the past."

Jones said that scientists concentrate on the study of one tribe or one period of Indian history. He expressed the wish that they would instead study the history of all Indian tribes and then go back to the unknown or pre-historic.

At one time there were two and a half times as many Indians living in Southeast Missouri areas as now inhabit the region, he said.

"Evidence of every type of Indian culture, every type of pottery is found here," he said. "They were all here. They traveled by water and we have the Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio rivers and their tributaries, nearby."

Jones was introduced by Charles Green.

Greed led the singing with Emily Bruce at the piano.

Hartzog Ill At Memphis

J. W. Hartzog, 47, manager of Hart's Bakery, is in serious condition in Baptist hospital in Memphis, following a brain hemorrhage. He has been a patient there and in the Missouri Delta Community hospital for treatment of a heart condition.

Head, Arm and Finger Injured

A head, forearm and finger injury, accounted for all patients treated Monday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital emergency room.

Euless Ray, East Prairie, fell and struck head on stove; Ruby Maynard, Charleston, remove splinter from right index finger; Louis Achter, East Prairie, cut right forearm and broken glass door.

House Begins Debate on Bill to Set up Public Defender System

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The Missouri House today began what was expected to be a lengthy debate on a bill establishing a public defender system.

Now indigent persons accused of crime are defended by court-appointed attorneys who serve without compensation.

The House committee version of the defender bill, substantially changed from the one that passed the Senate earlier, was immediately subjected to House efforts to change it even more.

One lawyer - member, Rep. Richard DeCoster, D-Canton, wondered why the public defenders were to be appointed instead of elected. Rep. Kenneth Rothman, D-University City, explained it this way:

If the public defender was an elective officer he might campaign for re-election by telling the voters he was such a big boob that he lost all of his cases and so all the criminals were in prison.

Or the campaigning public defender might say he was such a fine attorney that he won most of his cases, keeping among others three child molesters and two rapists out of prison.

Rep. C. M. (Cap) Bassman, R-Hermann, tried to reduce the number of judicial circuits that would have full time defenders but his amendment was defeated on a nonpartisan vote of 50-105.

The statewide system would provide a public defender for any circuit with 65,000 or more people, plus Cole County where many convict cases arise.

The defenders would be appointed by a special commission chosen by the governor.

Monday the House passed and sent to the Senate a bill which would let counties reassess their property on a voluntary basis. Rep. Don Kennedy, D-Nevada, the sponsor, said he would kill the bill unless the Senate agreed to take out all State Tax Commission powers.

The bill was recommended by the State Tax Study Commission of which Kennedy is a member.

Also sent to the Senate was a proposed constitutional amendment to set up a special police protection district for St. Louis County if the state's and the county's voters approve.

The Senate passed and sent to the governor, 25-6, a bill to let the state probation and parole board take over such work in the city of St. Louis, the only area which now has its own system.

The Senate accepted a House provision deleting the power of judges to release accused persons on their own recognizance. Sponsors of the amendment said judges already have this power under other laws.

The Senate headed two bills for conference committee settlement.

One would let St. Louis County levy a 5 per cent gross receipts tax on public utilities in unincorporated areas to increase police protection there.

The other would raise the pay of the state liquor control supervisot. The Senate acted because the House took out a provision requiring him to be an attorney.

The House advanced two bills affecting the Kansas City police system. One would liberalize their retirement system and the other would establish higher ceilings on salaries.

It also advanced a resolution calling for a study of lack of discipline in the schools.

Meanwhile a new version of a bill to let Kansas City voters decide whether they want to increase their earnings tax from ½ to 1 per cent was introduced in the Senate. A similar bill was killed earlier in a House committee.

Poultry Joins NFO Boycott List

SIOUX CITY, Iowa (AP)— The National Farmers Organization added poultry Monday to the products it is asking farmers to withhold from market to force higher prices.

NFO President Oren Lee Staley, here to address a grain and feed convention, said the NFO advised producers "to hold chickens, commonly known as broilers, for 19 cents per pound and turkeys for 26 cents per pound."

Broilers now bring an average of about 13.3 cents per pound and turkeys about 17.5 cents, Staley said, while parity prices are 20.5 cents for broilers and 31.3 cents for turkeys.

The holding action began Jan. 11 with grain and was extended to meat on Feb. 12. Staley has said other products, including milk, will be added later.

"We are satisfied with the progress made in other commodities and are confident that contracts across the board will be secured at fair prices for farmers," Staley declared.

After three weeks of withholding meat animals and seven of boycotting grain markets price gains have been minor and some of these were attributed to factors other than the 35-state boycott.

There has been some curtailment in the number of cattle, hogs and lambs marketed and prices responded by increasing early in the holding action.

However, the action lost ground both in prices and receipts last week. Greater numbers of lambs went to market while prices either held or declined.

Prices for top choice cattle have risen, but there has been no improvement in lower choice grade steers. The average price for the best hogs rose 7.5 cents a pound.

All sales were below NFO goals.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture reports no decrease in federally inspected meat slaughter.

Corn was selling for $1.13 a bushel Monday, a fraction above the price Jan. 11 when the grain boycott was called with a target price of $1.50 for corn.

Wheat and soybeans were up five to seven cents, but neither was near the NFO goal. Wheat was $1.57, with the NFO seeking $2, soybeans were $2, with the target $3. Soybeans actually were higher a week ago.

Legislative Probe Of Judge Proposed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Rep. Richard J. Rabbitt, D-St. Louis, said today he is drawing up a resolution calling for a legislative investigation of a St. Louis County judge who is under fire for his involvement in a divorce case.

Rabbitt, the House majority leader, said the resolution will seek establishment of a special committee to look into Circuit Court Judge John D. Hasler's handling of the divorce case.

Judge Hasler disqualified mimself from the case Feb. 7, saying he had become emotionally involved, but he denied any moral wrongdoing in his dealings with the woman in the case Mrs. Delmer Shelby of Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Mrs. Shelby's husband has asked for an investigation of the judge.

The County Circuit Court, sitting en banc, decided Monday to not assign cases to Judge Hasler until the Shelby matter is settled. The judges said Hasler can clear up cases pending before him, provided all parties agree.

Supervisor Lawrence Roos of St. Louis County and Harold V. Bowlby, chairman of the County Republican Central Committee, called on the judge, also a Republican, to resign if the allegations made against him are true.

A report has been forwarded to the chief justice of the Missouri Supreme Court.

Negotiators Seek To End Copper Strike

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House said today that negotiators in the 235-day copper strike were talking over their differences and described President Johnson as "very pleased" that discussions were underway.

White House press secretary George Christian said representatives of the 26 striking unions were holding separate talks with three of the major strike-bound copper firms in the executive office building next door. Talks with the fourth company, Anaconda, were expected later in the day or early Wednesday.

1,000 Now Getting Vocational Instruction

Jim Cornett, high school director of vocational education, told the Optimist club Monday at Luber's restaurant:

"We are now instructing about 1,000 adult students in numerous occupations, which includes post-high school graduates and older men and women, who are seeking new vocations. It looks now that with the new school buiding program, we may go into a year-round program from 3:30 p.m. until 10 p.m."

The club has changed its meeting time to noon after having met for breakfast at the Rustic Rock Inn since January of 1967.

Cornett said:

"I challenge any of you here to come and see what is transpiring in our training programs. The program was opened to give training to former high school graduates and family heads for a new vocation.

"Only recently we have added a program for 160 sophomore boys and girls, to establish a vocation after they graduate.

"We were able to place 50 students in sales jobs during the Christmas season as extras. A number of students completed a course as assistants at the regional diagnostic clinic."

Training is provided in cosmotology, automative, building trades, foundation building and others.

"We will be training headquarters for the new Norando plant to be built in New Madrid county, as soon as the need for employes are needed," the speaker said.

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Miscellaneous collections included a payment of $1,692.85 from the Sikeston Housing Authority for its annual payment in lieu of taxes, a monthly franchise payment of $2,995.64 from Associated Natural Gas, plus $37.11 in interest and $9.33 in fees.

Weather

Fair to partly cloudy Wednesday. Cooler Wednesday. Low tonight 30 to 35. High Wednesday in the 50s.

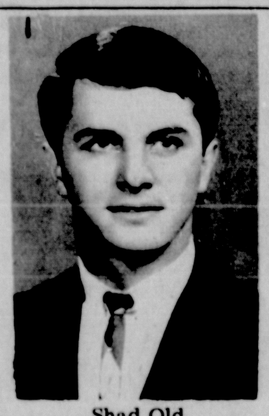
HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 56 and 21 degrees.

Sunset today - - - - - 5:56 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow - - 6:23 a.m.

The moon, at apogee today, sets tomorrow at - - - - 12:25 a.m.

Jupiter and Regulus are high overhead tonight at - 11:08 p.m. Next month at this time Jupiter will be northwest of Regulus.



Shad Old

Shad Old Will Play Sax Solo

Shad Old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shad Old will be an alto saxophone soloist with the high school band, late division, at its annual spring concert Friday night.

He is a senior and plays first sax in the band, and a member of the wrestling team. He will play John Morrissey's "Nightfall," written especially for saxophone and band.

Other selections by the band will include Highlights from the "Unsinkable Molly Brown" and Latin American numbers.

Seven Fined In Court

Judge M. E. Montgomery heard these cases in magistrate court today:

Philip W. Henley, 320 Pam, speeding, fined $17.50 and costs.

Ollie A. Lands, route one, charged with careless and imprudent driving, failure to yield right-of-way, pleaded not guilty, case continued to next week.

Elmer C. Stell, South Holland, Ill., speeding, fined $17.50 and costs.

Harry P. O'Neill, Maywood, Ill., speeding, fined $16 and costs.

Tiny Franklin, Winter Garden, Fla., driving while intoxicated, fined $50 and costs.

Albert Thomas, Cape Girardeau, defective brakes, fined $5 and costs.

Ben T. Griffin, Deering, speeding, fined $16 and costs.

James A. Hatchett, 214 Felker, charged with having no operator's license, dismissed and costs ordered certified.

Edward Cobb, route four, no operator's license, fined $5 and costs.

Luther B. Dyer, Jefferson City, charged with speeding dismissed upon payment of costs.

Three File for School Posts

PORTAGEVILLE -- Three candidates have filed for election to the R-1 board of education. Two board members will be elected at the April 2 election.

Incumbent Elza Lester has filed for re-election. Others filing were Francis James and Metts Hawkins.

The other incumbent, Max Holloman, is not seeking re-election.

Minor Damage To School Trophy

MATTHEWS -- High school students and faculty were given a momentary scare Monday when the large state basketball Class M championship basketball trophy fell when a temporary display table collapsed.

A small piece was broken from one of the statue mountings on a pedestal. It can be repaired.

The trophy weighs approximately 30 pounds, is about 14 inches high, with a two by 10 inch walnut base. The center display trophy is nine inches square, with two side mountings.

It was presented to the school after the Matthews Pirates defeated Boonville in the state tournament in Columbia Saturday, 70-61.

Report Grass Fires

Burning trash caused a grass fire at 11:50 a.m. today in a lot near Bob's Grab Bag on Highway 60 West.

No damage was caused, firemen reported. Firemen also were called to extinguish a trash fire in a yard behind 315 Westgate at 7:35 p.m. Monday.

The dry and windy conditions make trash burning extremely dangerous now, firemen said. Residents are being asked not to burn trash today because of windy conditions.

Bay windows became popular in England in the mid-1400s when they were built at Oxford and Cambridge Colleges and in many castles.

Beaver Wins Educator Award

Gordon Beaver, choral director at Sikeston high school, was named today as Sikeston's outstanding young educator.

The award is made annually by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Professional qualifications, community and civic activities and stature with students were taken into consideration in choosing the winner, Jerry Burge, chairman of the project, said.

More than 17 teachers were considered for the award. A panel of three judges composed of Franklin Struwe, an accountant with R. Clinton Construction Co.; Sam Harbin, vice president of the Bank of Sikeston; and Ken Hawkins, general manager of KMPL, unanimously agreed on Beaver.

He will be presented a plaque and a $50 bond at the Jaycee annual awards banquet in April. Beaver also will be entered in the Jaycee state contest for outstanding young educators.

Beaver has taught at Sikeston High School since 1955 after graduation from Central Methodist College in Fayette, where he received a bachelor of music education.

He worked for his masters of education degree during summers and received it from the University of Missouri at Columbia in 1966.

In addition to teaching students in the 10th through the 12th grades in mixed chorus, music theory and concert choir, Beaver is a private teacher of voice and piano. He maintains about 50 students in both winter and summer along with his regular duties.

One of the most rewarding aspects of his work is to see young people learning to play piano, he said.

Beaver was named as "Young Man of the Year" by the Jaycees in 1965. He is a member of the Kiwanis club, the National Educiaton Association, music educator's national conference, American choral director's association, Sikeston community teacher's association, American Guild of Organists, and Missouri State Teachers Association.

He has been the Sikeston Community Choir director nine years. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha, Chamber of Commerce cultural arts and attainment council, civic auditorium committee, Southeast Missouri choral festival, Sikeston Little Theatre, High School P-TA, square dance club, and open door Sunday School class.

Beaver and his wife, Mary Joyce, have two children, Michael and Gary. They live at 417 Clayton.

SINGING AND DIRECTING "Up, Up and Away" with his concert choir is Gordon Beaver named by the Junior Chamber of Commerce as the outstanding young educator.

200 Bushels of Soybeans Stolen

AID -- Two hundred bushels of field soybeans valued at about $2.50 a bushel were taken Sunday from the Ralph Mayo farm near here, the Stoddard County sheriff's office reported today.

The grain was hauled off in a large dual-wheel truck.

About two weeks ago 85 sacks of soybeans which had been cleaned for seed were taken from the Clarence Smith farm, near the Mayo farm, the highway patrol reported.

Each sack contains two bushels of soybeans. The seed soybeans are valued at about $3 a bushel.

The highway patrol is checking area grain elevators to find out if the stolen grain has been sold.

Three Hurt in Crash, Lumber Load Burns

Three were injured in a two-car collision in Pemiscot county. A trailer tandem loaded with lumber caught fire and burned.

Monday at 7:30 p.m. on route K in Pemiscot county, two miles west of Pascola, Sidney Denham, 37, Blytheville, driver of 1964 Chevrolet truck was blinded by lights from an approaching car, and smashed into the rear of a 1955 Plymouth, driven by Omer O'Neal, 57, Bragg City, the state patrol reported.

Denham received cuts on his face and forehead, and chest injuries. His wife, Ivern O'Neal, 48, had cuts on her face and legs, and a 10-year-old son, Allen, had cuts on his face.

The injured were taken to the Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti.

A 1967 Mack tractor trailer, driven by Elige Kirk, 26, Jonesboro, Ark., lost its cargo of three by eight feet timber destroyed to fire, Monday at 4:45 p.m. on highway 61, three miles south of Portageville.

The timber was reported to have caught fire from the exhaust from the tractor. The trailer was unhooked and pulled into a nearby ditch until it was burned out, the patrol reported.

Dirksen Backs Viet Policy To Avoid Propaganda

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — Senate Minority Leader Everett Dirksen said Monday night that one reason he defended the Johnson administration's Vietnam policies was to avoid providing propaganda to the Viet Cong.

He cited a Viet Cong leaflet he said was sent him by a U.S. soldier. The leaflet, he said, urged U.S. troops to refuse to fight, demand repatriation and "get out of South Vietnam before it's too late."

"And they quote the distinguished senator from Oregon, Wayne Morse, to prove the case," Dirksen told a gathering at a $100-a-plate Republican dinner. Morse, a Democrat has been a frequent critic of the war.

"I'm not going to see myself or my colleagues in that kind of fix," Dirksen said.

The veteran senator from Illinois said he supported Johnson in Vietnam "because he is the commander-in-chief and he's the only commander-in-chief we have."

Indian Village To Be Restored

A tract of land nine miles southeast of East Prairie will be restored as an Indian village, Sam Jones of East Prairie, a collector of Indian artifacts, told the Rotary club last night at the Rustic Rock Inn.

The state park board had bought the tract.

He explained that the study of Indians was important because "The future is based on the past."

Jones said that scientists concentrate on the study of one tribe or one period of Indian history. He expressed the wish that they would instead study the history of all Indian tribes and then go back to the unknown or pre-historic.

At one time there were two and a half times as many Indians living in Southeast Missouri areas as now inhabit the region, he said.

"Evidence of every type of Indian culture, every type of pottery is found here," he said. "They were all here. They traveled by water and we have the Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio rivers and their tributaries, nearby."

Jones was introduced by Charles Green.

Greed led the singing with Emily Bruce at the piano.

Hartzog Ill At Memphis

J. W. Hartzog, 47, manager of Hart's Bakery, is in serious condition in Baptist hospital in Memphis, following a brain hemorrhage. He has been a patient there and in the Missouri Delta Community hospital for treatment of a heart condition.

Head, Arm and Finger Injured

A head, forearm and finger injury, accounted for all patients treated Monday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital emergency room.

Euless Ray, East Prairie, fell and struck head on stove; Ruby Maynard, Charleston, remove splinter from right index finger; Louis Achter, East Prairie, cut right forearm and broken glass door.

House Begins Debate on Bill to Set up Public Defender System

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — The Missouri House today began what was expected to be a lengthy debate on a bill establishing a public defender system.

Now indigent persons accused of crime are defended by court-appointed attorneys who serve without compensation.

The House committee version of the defender bill, substantially changed from the one that passed the Senate earlier, was immediately subjected to House efforts to change it even more.

One lawyer - member, Rep. Richard DeCoster, D-Canton, wondered why the public defenders were to be appointed instead of elected. Rep. Kenneth Rothman, D-University City, explained it this way:

If the public defender was an elective officer he might campaign for re-election by telling the voters he was such a big boob that he lost all of his cases and so all the criminals were in prison.

Or the campaigning public defender might say he was such a fine attorney that he won most of his cases, keeping among others three child molesters and two rapists out of prison.

Rep. C. M. (Cap) Bassman, R-Hermann, tried to reduce the number of judicial circuits that would have full time defenders but his amendment was defeated on a nonpartisan vote of 50-105.

The statewide system would provide a public defender for any circuit with 65,000 or more people, plus Cole County where many convict cases arise.

The defenders would be appointed by a special commission chosen by the governor.

Monday the House passed and sent to the Senate a bill which would let counties reassess their property on a voluntary basis. Rep. Don Kennedy, D-Nevada, the sponsor, said he would kill the bill unless the Senate agreed to take out all State Tax Commission powers.

The bill was recommended by the State Tax Study Commission of which Kennedy is a member.

Also sent to the Senate was a proposed constitutional amendment to set up a special police protection district for St. Louis County if the state's and the county's voters approve.

The Senate passed and sent to the governor, 25-6, a bill to let the state probation and parole board take over such work in the city of St. Louis, the only area which now has its own system.

The Senate accepted a House provision deleting the power of judges to release accused persons on their own recognizance. Sponsors of the amendment said judges already have this power under other laws.

The Senate headed two bills for conference committee settlement.

One would let St. Louis County levy a 5 per cent gross receipts tax on public utilities in unincorporated areas to increase police protection there.

The other would raise the pay of the state liquor control supervisor. The Senate acted because the House took out a provision requiring him to be an attorney.

The House advanced two bills affecting the Kansas City police system. One would liberalize their retirement system and the other would establish higher ceilings on salaries.

It also advanced a resolution calling for a study of lack of discipline in the schools.

Meanwhile a new version of a bill to let Kansas City voters decide whether they want to increase their earnings tax from ½ to 1 per cent was introduced in the Senate. A similar bill was killed earlier in a House committee.

Legislative Probe Of Judge Proposed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Rep. Richard J. Rabbitt, D-St. Louis, said today he is drawing up a resolution calling for a legislative investigation of a St. Louis County judge who is under fire for his involvement in a divorce case.

Rabbitt, the House majority leader, said the resolution will seek establishment of a special committee to look into Circuit Court Judge John D. Hasler's handling of the divorce case.

Judge Hasler disqualified mimself from the case Feb. 7, saying he had become emotionally involved, but he denied any moral wrongdoing in his dealings with the woman in the case Mrs. Delmer Shelby of Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Mrs. Shelby's husband has asked for an investigation of the judge.

The County Circuit Court, sitting en banc, decided Monday to not assign cases to Judge Hasler until the Shelby matter is settled. The judges said Hasler can clear up cases pending before him, provided all parties agree.

Supervisor Lawrence Roos of St. Louis County and Harold V. Bowlby, chairman of the County Republican Central Committee, called on the judge, also a Republican, to resign if the allegations made against him are true.

A report has been forwarded to the chief justice of the Missouri Supreme Court.

Negotiators Seek To End Copper Strike

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House said today that negotiators in the 235-day copper strike were talking over their differences and described President Johnson as "very pleased" that discussions were underway.

White House press secretary George Christian said representatives of the 26 striking unions were holding separate talks with three of the major strike-bound copper firms in the executive office building next door. Talks with the fourth company, Anaconda, were expected later in the day or early Wednesday.

Poultry Joins NFO Boycott List

SIOUX CITY, Iowa (AP)— The National Farmers Organization added poultry Monday to the products it is asking farmers to withhold from market to force higher prices.

NFO President Oren Lee Staley, here to address a grain and feed convention, said the NFO advised producers "to hold chickens, commonly known as broilers, for 19 cents per pound and turkeys for 26 cents per pound."

Broilers now bring an average of about 13.3 cents per pound and turkeys about 17.5 cents, Staley said, while parity prices are 20.5 cents for broilers and 31.3 cents for turkeys.

The holding action began Jan. 11 with grain and was extended to meat on Feb. 12. Staley has said other products, including milk, will be added later.

"We are satisfied with the progress made in other commodities and are confident that contracts across the board will be secured at fair prices for farmers," Staley declared.

After three weeks of withholding meat animals and seven of boycotting grain markets price gains have been minor and some of these were attributed to factors other than the 35-state boycott.

There has been some curtailment in the number of cattle, hogs and lambs marketed and prices responded by increasing early in the holding action.

However, the action lost ground both in prices and receipts last week. Greater numbers of lambs went to market while prices either held or declined.

Prices for top choice cattle have risen, but there has been no improvement in lower choice grade steers. The average price for the best hogs rose 7.5 cents a pound.

All sales were below NFO goals.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture reports no decrease in federally inspected meat slaughter.

Corn was selling for $1.13 a bushel Monday, a fraction above the price Jan. 11 when the grain boycott was called with a target price of $1.50 for corn.

Wheat and soybeans were up five to seven cents, but neither was near the NFO goal. Wheat was $1.57, with the NFO seeking $2, soybeans were $2, with the target $3. Soybeans actually were higher a week ago.

1,000 Now Getting Vocational Instruction

Jim Cornett, high school director of vocational education, told the Optimist club Monday at Luber's restaurant:

"We are now instructing about 1,000 adult students in numerous occupations, which includes post-high school graduates and older men and women, who are seeking new vocations. It looks now that with the new school building program, we may go into a year-round program from 3:30 p.m. until 10 p.m."

The club has changed its meeting time to noon after having met for breakfast at the Rustic Rock Inn since January of 1967.

Cornett said:

"I challenge any of you here to come and see what is transpiring in our training programs. The program was opened to give training to former high school graduates and family heads for a new vocation.

"Only recently we have added a program for 160 sophomore boys and girls, to establish a vocation after they graduate.

"We were able to place 50 students in sales jobs during the Christmas season as extras. A number of students completed a course as assistants at the regional diagnostic clinic."

Training is provided in cosmotology, automative, building trades, foundation building and others.

"We will be training headquarters for the new Norando plant to be built in New Madrid county, as soon as the need for employes are needed," the speaker said.

"New occupations are constantly added to our program. We must be prepared, if our young people are to compete."

Basketball play sponsored by the club at the Lincoln school for boys from 9 to 15 is in its sixth week in an 11-week program. Participating are approximately 120 in the age groups.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

We hate to visit the sick at the hospital. But when friends get sick or need surgery we will go.

Each day as we approach the desk where the Grey Ladies are in charge of the visitors cards we marvel at their patience.

We wonder if the many visitors who be mean and talk out of line to these wonderful ladies realize that they are not a part of the paid staff.

They volunteer their services and are on the job seven days and evenings a week carrying flowers, gifts and packages, tending to the flowers in patients' rooms and they perform many other services for free.

We realize that when patients are seriously ill their folks cannot be normal but their actions should show they appreciate the Grey Ladies and the work they do in holding down hospital costs.

We should all pray God's blessings on them every night for the kindness they do and show.

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Headline says "Chamber Wants to Buy 57 Acres Industrial Park Purchase Near."

Is Sikeston making any effort to buy an acreage for industrial purposes?

What about the $42,000 we received from Anchor Toy?

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Fitting Reward. In St. Louis, Earl ("Tiny") Bechtold won first place in a contest at Barney's Army Store for the man with the biggest waistline (62 1/2 inches), claimed his prize: a pair of tailored slacks.

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DANGEROUS SENATE DIRECTION

Missouri is witnessing a sorry spectacle of legislative order in one chamber of its General Assembly these days, and those who observe it, whether from near or afar, can only view it with apprehension.

We refer to the "clean broom" being wielded at the moment by the temporary President Pro Tem of the Missouri Senate, Earl Blackwell of Hillsboro, who was elected only the other day as a kind of temporary substitute for the duty-elected President Pro Tem, John Joynt of St. Louis, who recently underwent surgery. Sen. Blackwell has provided a new "look" to the Senate that would not be pleasing to too many Missourians were they to observe first hand the effect of the Jefferson Countian's regime. Sen. Blackwell was chosen to occupy temporarily the office in a rather heated contest between the liberals and the conservatives of the upper chamber, although a good many legislators broke ranks and crossed over to vote for Blackwell.

Once installed in his temporary office, Sen. Blackwell has set out, with great determination, to upset as many traditions and rules as he possibly could.

He has acted to change long-standing committees, some of which have long served as traditional watch-dogs over Senate funds and appropriations.

Although only occupying his office temporarily, Sen. Blackwell has made moves to displace some long-time and valuable Senate employes.

He has already changed the customs in selecting conference committees, failing to consult with committee chairmen and inaugurating some highly questionable rules of his own.

In short, the Senate has become a kind of one-man show, with Sen. Blackwell and a couple of his closest advisers calling the tune.

It is not a pleasant melody, for observers can only speculate that much of what Sen. Blackwell is trying to accomplish is not for the betterment of the legislature in general or the Senate in particular. What many believe he has in mind is the promotion of his own campaign for Lieutenant Governor, a fact which should automatically have disqualified him from holding any kind of Senate office.

Sen. Blackwell is punishing his enemies, rewarding his friends, and using his vast amount of power as a preliminary to securing additional support for his own candidacy later this year.

What he appears to be doing, in reality, is discouraging those who believed he had the ability to handle a higher job; he is demonstrating that his desire for power is greater than his ability to handle it.

Before the Senate enters a period of complete confusion and dependency upon one man, we hope something can be done in Jefferson City to stop the present trend.

For, as never before, the Senate needs a leader capable of leading.

We can only hope for Sen. Joynt's speedy recovery and his quick return to the legislative halls of the state capitol.

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There are about 11 million victims of leprosy in the world. For 75¢, UNICEF provides enough sulfone to treat one of them successfully for three years.

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Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard,
To fetch her poor dog a bone;
But when she got there, the cupboard was bare,
So she got him registered in the war on poverty.

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The topless season is here again.

On the roads, that is. Spring and warm weather brings more and more convertibles out with their tops folded down.

Automobiles dealers tell us that the demand among car buyers for convertibles is far greater at this time of the year than at any other, and that convertibles are becoming more popular each year.

This means that a number of persons who have never owned a "flip-top" will buy one this year, and many more will decide that they want a convertible and that their next car will be one.

Most of all, "rag-tops" are fun. To some, owning a convertible is a symbol of a person's status. Some people drive a convertible to project their "youthfulness". Others own them because their teen-age children have browbeaten them into it.

If you are buying a convertible -- or plan to purchase one in the future -- there are a few simple guidelines you should follow in selecting it.

The top mechamism -- make sure it's electric/-hydraulic driven, and operated from a switch under the dashboard. Some of the smaller models offer an "automatic" top as optional equipment, so watch what you're buying or you might end up with a top that you have to fold by hand. Very inconvenient unless you really want to play the sportsman.

The back window -- it should be large and made of tempered glass. Small windows, or ones made of flexible plastic, don't offer the visibility you need for safety in today's traffic. Also, plastic windows must be unzippped and folded each time you retract the top. This is a pain, and will reduce your enjoyment of the car.

Top color -- if you own a garage and the car won't sit outside much, pick any color you like. However, if you have no garage or you park in an open lot every day while at work, you'd better stick with a black top. Although the new tops are washable and fairly impervious to stains, they will fade and discolor in time and black will retain its new look longer.

Very little maintenance is needed with the new convertibles. You should periodically check the fluid level in the mechanism, and make sure that the nuts and bolts in the top framework are kept tight. Each time you wash the car, unlatch the top and wipe both edges where it meets the top of the windshield. Keeping this area free of dust and dirt will insure a tight weather seal.

To keep top mechanism in good working condition over the winter, run the top down and up a few times once in December and again in early February. . . Do this only in mild weather (above 50 degrees) or after the car has warmed up in a heated garage.

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An all-time low U.S. infant death rate--23.4 deaths for each 1,000 births--was recorded in 1966.

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We notice in the Charleston Enterprise-Courier where that city is making an effort to raise $86,100.00 for the purpose of purchasing an industrial park.

Sikeston has on hand somewhere around $42,000 it received for the Anchor Toy building which should be used to buy a site for industry. It will save pan handling our merchants and citizens for that much of the park cost.

If we had a park already bought maybe it would help in being able to locate an industry or two.

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Mass Conscription. In Lunenburg, Mass., the town suddenly lost its treasurer, tax collector, town clerk, board of health agent, board of selectmen's clerk and veterans' agent when Daniel P. McGuirl was recalled to active duty by the Army.

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We kill more by speeding and drinking than are killed in war.

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A good citizen is not always a good politician.

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After a man passes 50, the most pleasing compliment is, "You don't show your age."

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Some people's idea of perserverance is to see how long they can cherish ill feeling toward some real or fancied grievance.

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The main lesson the United States can learn from the Middle East oil crisis is the necessity for a strong domestic oil industry and the key role the percentage depletion allowance has played in forging a viable oil industry in this country. These were among the main points stressed by Rawleigh Warner, Jr., president of Mobil Oil Corporation. This country's oil needs were met this year only because the domestic industry was able to increase production of crude oil by more than a million barrels a day at the height of the crisis, Mr. Warner told the analysts. The percentage depletion provision, he added, has provided both incentive and capital to help find enough oil to give this nation the excess producibility "that becomes almost priceless in an emergency."

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Q.E.D. In London, Stanley Read was acquitted of an embezzlement charge when he told the jury he had bet his employer $28 that it would be easy to embezzle money from the firm, was only proving his point when he falsified the accounts by $812.

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If a sick person sleeps well at night, ninety per cent of the rejoicing is because it gives other members of the family a chance to sleep.

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The best way is to keep still. If you talk about people behind their backs, you are a gossip, and if you talk about them to their faces you are impolite.

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Ten years ago the American people paid $100 billion a year in federal, state and local taxes. Today, that figure has climbed to $207 billion. Cost to each family in the U.S.--$3,385, up more than $1,400 in a decade.

TOMORROW

MARCH 6-WEDNESDAY

DISCOVERY DAY or MAGELLAN DAY. Mar. 6. Guam. Commemorates discovery of Guam on this day, 1521.

INDEPENDENCE DAY. Mar. 6. Ghana. Received independence from Great Britain on this day, 1957.

NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK. Mar. 6-16. Purpose: "Promote sale of peanuts and all the various peanut products." Sponsor: Natl. Peanut Council, DeVoe H. Willard, Pres., 400 Bender Bldg., Washington, DC 20036

SYMPOSIUM ON FUNDAMENTAL CANCER RESEARCH. Mar. 6-8. Houston, Texas.

U.S. NAVY SEABEES 26TH ANNIVERSARY. Mar. 6. U.S. Naval Facilities Engineering Command, William Webb, Special Asst., Public Affairs, Washington, DC 20390

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March is the month of variable weather conditions, motorists were reminded by Colonel E. I (Mike) Hockaday, the Superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol.

"Some days can be gentle as a lamb with clear skies and unlimited visibility," Hockaday noted. "Other days in March can remind us of a roaring lion with fog, rain, sleet and even snow as the weather of the day. Drivers must adapt their behavior to the wide variety of weather in March."

The Patrol Superintendent pointed out that when visibility is reduced by poor weather, and roadways are slippery from rain, snow or ice, the basic precaution for drivers to take is to reduce speed. He also noted that dirty windshield and windows are a frequent result of March rains, melting snow, and spattering from the moving wheels of other vehicles. Hockaday urged drivers to be certain their vehicles's windshield wipers are in good condition. Streaking blades should be replaced and the wiper arms should be inspected for proper tension.

The Colonel also reminded drivers that the better weather conditions of March mean more drivers on the road and more chances for accidents. He stated that extra caution and alertness are required for accident-free driving in heavy traffic.

"Be prepared for any tupe of weather during the month of March," Hockaday declared, "and adjust your driving habits accordingly."

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Dear Mother and Dad,

It has now been three months since I left for college. I have been remiss in writing and I am very sorry for my thoughtlessness in not having written before. I will bring you up to date now, but before you read on, please sit down. You are not to read any farther unless you are sitting down. Okay?

Well, then, I am getting along pretty well now. The skull fracture and the concussion I got when I jumped out of the window of my dormitory when it caught fire shortly after my arrival here is pretty well healed now. I only spent two weeks in the hospital and now I can see almost normally and only get those sick headaches once a day. Fortunately, the fire in the dormitory, and my jump, was witnessed by an attendant at the gas station near the dorm, and he was the one who called the Fire Department and the ambulance. He also visited me in the hospital and since I had nowhere to live because of the burnt-out dormitory, he was kind enough to invite me to share his apartment with him. It's really a basement room, but it's kind of cute. He is a very fine boy and we have fallen deeply in love and are planning to get married. We haven't set the exact date yet, but it will be before my pregnancy begins to show.

Yes, Mother and Dad, I am pregnant. I know how much you are looking forward to being grandparents and I know you will welcome the baby and give it the same love and devotion and tender care you gave me when I was a child. The reason for the delay in our marriage is that my boy-friend has a minor infection which prevents us from passing our premarital blood tests and I carelessly caught it from him. This will soon clear up with the penicillin injections I am taking daily.

I know that you will welcome him into our family with open arms. He is kind and, although not well - educated, he is ambitious. Although he is of a different race and religion than ours, I know your oft-expressed tolerance will not permit you to be bothered by the fact that his skin color is somewhat darker than ours.

I am sure you will love him as I do. His family background is good too, for I am told that his father is an important gun-bearer in the village in Africa from which he comes.

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This coincided with the depressing polls in New Hampshire; so, without consulting Rockefeller, the Michigan governor announced his decision to withdraw.

The Rockefeller forces, as soon as they got wind of Romney's intention, tried to persuade him to stay in the race. This word was passed by George Hinman, Rockefeller's chief political adviser, to Leonard Hall, whom Rockefeller had persuaded to serve as Romney's campaign manager.

But Romney's mind was made up. He also felt an obligation to rush out an announcement before the governors met last week in Washington, so the GOP governors could use the occasion to seek another candidate.

His announcement threw the conference into turmoil. In the "smoke - filled" back rooms, Rhode Island's Gov. John Chafee urged the adoption of a resolution calling upon Rockefeller to run. This was also pushed in the back rooms by Oregon's Gov. Tom McCall.

Rockefeller himself met with his brother Winthrop, Maryland's Agnew, and adviser Hinman. They agreed it would be a mistake to seek a statement of support from the governors, who could hardly commit themselves without consulting their own political advisers at home.

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WHY INSULT WOMEN IMMIGRANTS?

Francis Biddle, attorney general in the Roosevelt administration, is waging a one-man campaign against asking women immigrants to the United States whether they plan to engage in prostitution.

Biddle, a former U.S. Court of Appeals judge and a member of one of Philadelphia's oldest families, believes that women entering the United States should be welcomed as new and promising citizens, not humiliated. He objects to such questions which are now routinely listed on all applications for immigrant visas as: "Are you going to the United States to engage in an immoral sexual act, in prostitution, or unlawful commercial vice?"

Biddle argues that no woman is going to admit this; therefore, why ask the question?

The immigration service argues that the question is asked in order to deport women who do go astray after they enter the United States. If they have sworn under oath they will not be prostitutes, they can then be deported for perjury.

Francis Biddle, however, argues that this is no way to welcome a prospective new American citizen.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

SWITCH AND FIGHT

Reuther Throws Powerful UAW Political Machine Behind Lyndon Johnson

Detroit: -- Political news is not dead in Michigan, George Romney may have quit. But Walter Reuther has just begun to fight -- for Lyndon Johnson.

It's a switch. Few expected "the redhead" to rush to the President's side, philosophical and intellectual swords flashing, to fight off attacks of the very same liberal leaders who long have looked to Reuther as their own labor base.

Until recently, both Messrs. Johnson and Reuther have cooled it. For months the Galbraithian intellectual community has looked to the auto union chief as a power base for the assault on the administration.

True. Reuther has said he would vote for Lyndon Johnson. But there's vast difference between casting a single ballot and throwing the powerful Auto Workers' Citizenship Dept.'s political machine and propaganda apparatus behind the President now under seige by many of Reuther's old friends and political associates.

Reuther now sees Lyndon Johnson as a man of "vision and commitment," "imaginative and innovative." The redhead, who until the other day appeared isolated from the "mainstream" of American labor and Democratic politics, is plunging into the presidential campaign.

Three weeks ago, he dispatched a message to President Johnson garnished with words of praise which rarely leave the dictionary in or out of Solidarity House.

"I congratulate you," wrote Reuther, in a letter to the President commenting on the latter's new housing program. Then came the description of Mr. Johnson as a man of vision.

Some days later, Reuther barraged the Americans for Democratic Action, which he and Hubert Humphrey helped launch in 1947. Reuther, now recovered and rested from the personal and physical burdens of the past six months, cleaved what's left of the ADA with a cut at those who had endorsed Sen. McCarthy for president on a peace program.

This is unusual for Reuther. It is unique so early in a campaign year for him to take so strong a position before national nominating convention.

There have been conversations between Vice President Humphrey and Reuther -- long intimate friends. Reuther knows that "HHH" will not be purged from second place on the ticket despite talk of a "stronger" running mate for Mr. Johnson.

Furthermore, those around Reuther now believe that Richard Nixon, not Nelson Rockefeller, will head the Republican ticket--and Reuther can talk more warmly of Barry Goldwater than of Dick Nixon.

So Reuther's irritation over the ADA dump-Johnson movement is understandable. He doesn't want to split the Democratic-Labor coalition.

Reuther, despite the fact his speeches are so long that we correspondents get up a poll on the length of each speech, is a realist.

He knows that a liberal-labor-Democratic party split could cost the coalition scores of pro-labor senators and representatives -- and even the loss of full control of both houses.

He and his sophisticated political activists, veterans of at least eight presidential campaigns, believe this will be a tight race. And no leader of a union in today's mass production industries -- not even Reuther with his $65 million strike fund -- can afford, a neutral, or an outright opponent in the White House.

White House leverage, or neutrality, is needed in every strike crisis involving the mass industries. Today the government is the single biggest cost customer of tens of thousands of firms under union contract.

The cooper strike, for example, could have been broken months ago if the White House had merely invoked the 80-day cooling off period under the Taft Hartley Act. Industry has been pressuring for such presidential action.

George Meany, always with swift access to the Oval Room, blocked it. The nonferrous metal miners and refiners would have had to go back to work for 80 days under the conditions which prevailed at the strike's outset, July 15.

As a pragmatist, Reuther needs such access to the White House side door. He's plunging deeply into the aerospace negotiations along with the Machinists. He knows that word from the White House and Pentagon, which reportedly now needs an aircraft or two, could make or break his drive for hundreds of thousands of workers.

And the next round of auto industry negotiations is only 2 1/2 years off.

But pragmatist though he is, Reuther essentially is a political being. There's a campaign. He wants to be in it. By delivering Michigan to the President he can give the coup de grace to George Romney whom he hates (a sentiment which is mutual). So with Robert Kennedy out for the duration, Reuther will throw some six hundred national organizers, thousands of local union men, fleets of auto caravans, and barrages of radio and television broadcasts (for educational purposes, of course) behind Lyndon Johnson.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

We hate to visit the sick at the hospital. But when friends get sick or need surgery we will go.

Each day as we approach the desk where the Grey Ladies are in charge of the visitors cards we marvel at their patience.

We wonder if the many visitors who be mean and talk out of line to these wonderful ladies realize that they are not a part of the paid staff.

They volunteer their services and are on the job seven days and evenings a week carrying flowers, gifts and packages, tending to the flowers in patients' rooms and they perform many other services for free.

We realize that when patients are seriously ill their folks cannot be normal but their actions should show they appreciate the Grey Ladies and the work they do in holding down hospital costs.

We should all pray God's blessings on them every night for the kindness they do and show.

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Headline says "Chamber Wants to Buy 57 Acres Industrial Park Purchase Near."

Is Sikeston making any effort to buy an acreage for industrial purposes?

What about the $42,000 we received from Anchor Toy?

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Fitting Reward. In St. Louis, Earl ("Tiny") Bechtold won first place in a contest at Barney's Army Store for the man with the biggest waistline (62 1/2 inches), claimed his prize: a pair of tailored slacks.

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DANGEROUS SENATE DIRECTION

Missouri is witnessing a sorry spectacle of legislative order in one chamber of its General Assembly these days, and those who observe it, whether from near or afar, can only view it with apprehension.

We refer to the "clean broom" being wielded at the moment by the temporary President Pro Tem of the Missouri Senate, Earl Blackwell of Hillsboro, who was elected only the other day as a kind of temporary substitute for the duty-elected President Pro Tem, John Joynt of St. Louis, who recently underwent surgery. Sen. Blackwell has provided a new "look" to the Senate that would not be pleasing to too many Missourians were they to observe first hand the effect of the Jefferson Countian's regime. Sen. Blackwell was chosen to occupy temporarily the office in a rather heated contest between the liberals and the conservatives of the upper chamber, although a good many legislators broke ranks and crossed over to vote for Blackwell.

Once installed in his temporary office, Sen. Blackwell has set out, with great determination, to upset as many traditions and rules as he possibly could.

He has acted to change long-standing committees, some of which have long served as traditional watch-dogs over Senate funds and appropriations.

Although only occupying his office temporarily, Sen. Blackwell has made moves to displace some long-time and valuable Senate employes.

He has already changed the customs in selecting conference committees, failing to consult with committee chairmen and inaugurating some highly questionable rules of his own.

In short, the Senate has become a kind of one-man show, with Sen. Blackwell and a couple of his closest advisers calling the tune.

It is not a pleasant melody, for observers can only speculate that much of what Sen. Blackwell is trying to accomplish is not for the betterment of the legislature in general or the Senate in particular. What many believe he has in mind is the promotion of his own campaign for Lieutenant Governor, a fact which should automatically have disqualified him from holding any kind of Senate office.

Sen. Blackwell is punishing his enemies, rewarding his friends, and using his vast amount of power as a preliminary to securing additional support for his own candidacy later this year.

What he appears to be doing, in reality, is discouraging those who believed he had the ability to handle a higher job; he is demonstrating that his desire for power is greater than his ability to handle it.

Before the Senate enters a period of complete confusion and dependency upon one man, we hope something can be done in Jefferson City to stop the present trend.

For, as never before, the Senate needs a leader capable of leading.

We can only hope for Sen. Joynt's speedy recovery and his quick return to the legislative halls of the state capitol.

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There are about 11 million victims of leprosy in the world. For 75¢, UNICEF provides enough sulfone to treat one of them successfully for three years.

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Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard,
To fetch her poor dog a bone;
But when she got there, the cupboard was bare,
So she got him registered in the war on poverty.

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The topless season is here again.

On the roads, that is. Spring and warm weather brings more and more convertibles out with their tops folded down.

Automobiles dealers tell us that the demand among car buyers for convertibles is far greater at this time of the year than at any other, and that convertibles are becoming more popular each year.

This means that a number of persons who have never owned a "flip-top" will buy one this year, and many more will decide that they want a convertible and that their next car will be one.

Most of all, "rag-tops" are fun. To some, owning a convertible is a symbol of a person's status. Some people drive a convertible to project their "youthfulness". Others own them because their teen-age children have browbeaten them into it.

If you are buying a convertible -- or plan to purchase one in the future -- there are a few simple guidelines you should follow in selecting it.

The top mechamism -- make sure it's electric/-hydraulic driven, and operated from a switch under the dashboard. Some of the smaller models offer an "automatic" top as optional equipment, so watch what you're buying or you might end up with a top that you have to fold by hand. Very inconvenient unless you really want to play the sportsman.

The back window -- it should be large and made of tempered glass. Small windows, or ones made of flexible plastic, don't offer the visibility you need for safety in today's traffic. Also, plastic windows must be unzippped and folded each time you retract the top. This is a pain, and will reduce your enjoyment of the car.

Top color -- if you own a garage and the car won't sit outside much, pick any color you like. However, if you have no garage or you park in an open lot every day while at work, you'd better stick with a black top. Although the new tops are washable and fairly impervious to stains, they will fade and discolor in time and black will retain its new look longer.

Very little maintenance is needed with the new convertibles. You should periodically check the fluid level in the mechanism, and make sure that the nuts and bolts in the top framework are kept tight. Each time you wash the car, unlatch the top and wipe both edges where it meets the top of the windshield. Keeping this area free of dust and dirt will insure a tight weather seal.

To keep top mechanism in good working condition over the winter, run the top down and up a few times once in December and again in early February. . . Do this only in mild weather (above 50 degrees) or after the car has warmed up in a heated garage.

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An all-time low U.S. infant death rate--23.4 deaths for each 1,000 births--was recorded in 1966.

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We notice in the Charleston Enterprise-Courier where that city is making an effort to raise $86,100.00 for the purpose of purchasing an industrial park.

Sikeston has on hand somewhere around $42,000 it received for the Anchor Toy building which should be used to buy a site for industry. It will save pan handling our merchants and citizens for that much of the park cost.

If we had a park already bought maybe it would help in being able to locate an industry or two.

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Mass Conscription. In Lunenburg, Mass., the town suddenly lost its treasurer, tax collector, town clerk, board of health agent, board of selectmen's clerk and veterans' agent when Daniel P. McGuirl was recalled to active duty by the Army.

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We kill more by speeding and drinking than are killed in war.

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A good citizen is not always a good politician.

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After a man passes 50, the most pleasing compliment is, "You don't show your age."

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Some people's idea of perserverance is to see how long they can cherish ill feeling toward some real or fancied grievance.

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The main lesson the United States can learn from the Middle East oil crisis is the necessity for a strong domestic oil industry and the key role the percentage depletion allowance has played in forging a viable oil industry in this country. These were among the main points stressed by Rawleigh Warner, Jr., president of Mobil Oil Corporation. This country's oil needs were met this year only because the domestic industry was able to increase production of crude oil by more than a million barrels a day at the height of the crisis, Mr. Warner told the analysts. The percentage depletion provision, he added, has provided both incentive and capital to help find enough oil to give this nation the excess producibility "that becomes almost priceless in an emergency."

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Q.E.D. In London, Stanley Read was acquitted of an embezzlement charge when he told the jury he had bet his employer $28 that it would be easy to embezzle money from the firm, was only proving his point when he falsified the accounts by $812.

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If a sick person sleeps well at night, ninety per cent of the rejoicing is because it gives other members of the family a chance to sleep.

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The best way is to keep still. If you talk about people behind their backs, you are a gossip, and if you talk about them to their faces you are impolite.

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TOMORROW

MARCH 6-WEDNESDAY

DISCOVERY DAY or MAGELLAN DAY. Mar. 6. Guam. Commemorates discovery of Guam on this day, 1521.

INDEPENDENCE DAY. Mar. 6. Ghana. Received independence from Great Britain on this day, 1957.

NATIONAL PEANUT WEEK. Mar. 6-16. Purpose: "Promote sale of peanuts and all the various peanut products." Sponsor: Natl. Peanut Council, DeVoe H. Willard, Pres., 400 Bender Bldg., Washington, DC 20036

SYMPOSIUM ON FUNDAMENTAL CANCER RESEARCH. Mar. 6-8. Houston, Texas.

U.S. NAVY SEABEES 26TH ANNIVERSARY. Mar. 6. U.S. Naval Facilities Engineering Command, William Webb, Special Asst., Public Affairs, Washington, DC 20390

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"Some days can be gentle as a lamb with clear skies and unlimited visibility," Hockaday noted. "Other days in March can remind us of a roaring lion with fog, rain, sleet and even snow as the weather of the day. Drivers must adapt their behavior to the wide variety of weather in March."

The Patrol Superintendent pointed out that when visibility is reduced by poor weather, and roadways are slippery from rain, snow or ice, the basic precaution for drivers to take is to reduce speed. He also noted that dirty windshield and windows are a frequent result of March rains, melting snow, and spattering from the moving wheels of other vehicles. Hockaday urged drivers to be certain their vehicles's windshield wipers are in good condition. Streaking blades should be replaced and the wiper arms should be inspected for proper tension.

The Colonel also reminded drivers that the better weather conditions of March mean more drivers on the road and more chances for accidents. He stated that extra caution and alertness are required for accident-free driving in heavy traffic.

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Reports began to leak back to Romney, however, that Rockefeller was quietly assessing his own convention strength. In one confidential conversation, Rockefeller told a trusted adviser that he thought eleven of the Republican governors would support him for the nomination.

Rockefeller's recent statement in Detroit that he would accept a draft was the last straw. Romney interpreted this to mean that Rockefeller couldn't keep the pledge to support him to the end. Romney already was sensitive to the change that he was a stalking horse for Rockefeller. Suddenly he found himself in precisely that situation.

This coincided with the depressing polls in New Hampshire; so, without consulting Rockefeller, the Michigan governor announced his decision to withdraw.

The Rockefeller forces, as soon as they got wind of Romney's intention, tried to persuade him to stay in the race. This word was passed by George Hinman, Rockefeller's chief political adviser, to Leonard Hall, whom Rockefeller had persuaded to serve as Romney's campaign manager.

But Romney's mind was made up. He also felt an obligation to rush out an announcement before the governors met last week in Washington, so the GOP governors could use the occasion to seek another candidate.

His announcement threw the conference into turmoil. In the "smoke - filled" back rooms, Rhode Island's Gov. John Chafee urged the adoption of a resolution calling upon Rockefeller to run. This was also pushed in the back rooms by Oregon's Gov. Tom McCall.

Rockefeller himself met with his brother Winthrop, Maryland's Agnew, and adviser Hinman. They agreed it would be a mistake to seek a statement of support from the governors, who could hardly commit themselves without consulting their own political advisers at home.

Rockefeller repeated his estimate that he could expect the support of eleven governors. Agnew predicted that before the convention they could line up eighteen. If the governors failed to unite behind a candidate, it was agreed, they would cease to be an effective voice inside the party and may as well abdicate to the congressional wing of the party.

Agreeing with this, Rockefeller made it clear he would not become a candidate unless the majority of GOP governors endorsed him. It seems likely that they will do so.

WHY INSULT WOMEN IMMIGRANTS?

Francis Biddle, attorney general in the Roosevelt administration, is waging a one-man campaign against asking women immigrants to the United States whether they plan to engage in prostitution.

Biddle, a former U.S. Court of Appeals judge and a member of one of Philadelphia's oldest families, believes that women entering the United States should be welcomed as new and promising citizens, not humiliated. He objects to such questions which are now routinely listed on all applications for immigrant visas as: "Are you going to the United States to engage in an immoral sexual act, in prostitution, or unlawful commercial vice?"

Biddle argues that no woman is going to admit this; therefore, why ask the question?

The immigration service argues that the question is asked in order to deport women who do go astray after they enter the United States. If they have sworn under oath they will not be prostitutes, they can then be deported for perjury.

Francis Biddle, however, argues that this is no way to welcome a prospective new American citizen.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

SWITCH AND FIGHT

Reuther Throws Powerful UAW Political Machine Behind Lyndon Johnson

Detroit: -- Political news is not dead in Michigan, George Romney may have quit. But Walter Reuther has just begun to fight -- for Lyndon Johnson.

It's a switch. Few expected "the redhead" to rush to the President's side, philosophical and intellectual swords flashing, to fight off attacks of the very same liberal leaders who long have looked to Reuther as their own labor base.

Until recently, both Messrs. Johnson and Reuther have cooled it. For months the Galbraithian intellectual community has looked to the auto union chief as a power base for the assault on the administration.

True. Reuther has said he would vote for Lyndon Johnson. But there's vast difference between casting a single ballot and throwing the powerful Auto Workers' Citizenship Dept.'s political machine and propaganda apparatus behind the President now under seige by many of Reuther's old friends and political associates.

Reuther now sees Lyndon Johnson as a man of "vision and commitment," "imaginative and innovative." The redhead, who until the other day appeared isolated from the "mainstream" of American labor and Democratic politics, is plunging into the presidential campaign.

Three weeks ago, he dispatched a message to President Johnson garnished with words of praise which rarely leave the dictionary in or out of Solidarity House.

"I congratulate you," wrote Reuther, in a letter to the President commenting on the latter's new housing program. Then came the description of Mr. Johnson as a man of vision.

Some days later, Reuther barraged the Americans for Democratic Action, which he and Hubert Humphrey helped launch in 1947. Reuther, now recovered and rested from the personal and physical burdens of the past six months, cleaved what's left of the ADA with a cut at those who had endorsed Sen. McCarthy for president on a peace program.

This is unusual for Reuther. It is unique so early in a campaign year for him to take so strong a position before national nominating convention.

There have been conversations between Vice President Humphrey and Reuther -- long intimate friends. Reuther knows that "HHH" will not be purged from second place on the ticket despite talk of a "stronger" running mate for Mr. Johnson.

Furthermore, those around Reuther now believe that Richard Nixon, not Nelson Rockefeller, will head the Republican ticket--and Reuther can talk more warmly of Barry Goldwater than of Dick Nixon.

So Reuther's irritation over the ADA dump-Johnson movement is understandable. He doesn't want to split the Democratic-Labor coalition.

Reuther, despite the fact his speeches are so long that we correspondents get up a poll on the length of each speech, is a realist.

He knows that a liberal-labor-Democratic party split could cost the coalition scores of pro-labor senators and representatives -- and even the loss of full control of both houses.

He and his sophisticated political activists, veterans of at least eight presidential campaigns, believe this will be a tight race. And no leader of a union in today's mass production industries -- not even Reuther with his $65 million strike fund -- can afford, a neutral, or an outright opponent in the White House.

White House leverage, or neutrality, is needed in every strike crisis involving the mass industries. Today the government is the single biggest cost customer of tens of thousands of firms under union contract.

The cooper strike, for example, could have been broken months ago if the White House had merely invoked the 80-day cooling off period under the Taft Hartley Act. Industry has been pressuring for such presidential action.

George Meany, always with swift access to the Oval Room, blocked it. The nonferrous metal miners and refiners would have had to go back to work for 80 days under the conditions which prevailed at the strike's outset, July 15.

As a pragmatist, Reuther needs such access to the White House side door. He's plunging deeply into the aerospace negotiations along with the Machinists. He knows that word from the White House and Pentagon, which reportedly now needs an aircraft or two, could make or break his drive for hundreds of thousands of workers.

And the next round of auto industry negotiations is only 2 1/2 years off.

But pragmatist though he is, Reuther essentially is a political being. There's a campaign. He wants to be in it. By delivering Michigan to the President he can give the coup de grace to George Romney whom he hates (a sentiment which is mutual). So with Robert Keanedy out for the duration, Reuther will throw some six hundred national organizers, thousands of local union men, fleets of auto caravans, and barrages of radio and television broadcasts (for educational purposes, of course) behind Lyndon Johnson.

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Canalou Woman Celebrates 88th Birthday

CANALOU -- Mrs. Ida Westerfield celebrated her 88th birthday Feb. 14 at a party at her home. She was born Feb. 14, 1880.

Five generations were present at the celebration.

Mrs. Westerfield has three daughters, Mrs. Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser, Mrs. Lola Thornton, who lives with her mother and Mrs. Kenneth Averett, route one, Parma. She has 15 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Her husband, I. C. Westerfield, died in 1959.

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Harry E. Pryor, Sikeston
Paul Bradley, New Madrid
Berta Marie Lewis, New Madrid
Mary Fane Crews, Bloomfield
Charles B. Clark, Lilbourn
Belle Green, Bertrand
James Tipler, Catron
Etta F. Pippin, Dexter

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Jeff Wells, Sikeston
Audrey E. Cox, Sikeston
Lyle C. Bird, Matthews
Margaret Moore, Charleston
Ralph Ervin, St. Louis
Alice B. Marshall, Sikeston
Brenda McCutchen, East Prairie
Sylvia Cook, Benton
Mrs. Linda Ramsey and Baby Boy, Sikeston
Mrs. Carolyn Nunn and Baby Girl, Sikeston

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Mrs. Ruth Ray of Malden, Mrs. Mildred Parks of Parma, Mrs. Nellie Manuel of Dexter, Mrs. Carmel Ashley of Gideon and Mrs. Carolyn Crews of Malden have been released from Doctors hospital.

Mrs. Thelma Bowman of Bernie and Orlin Garner of Dexter have been admitted to Lucy Lee hospital in Poplar Bluff.

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Mrs. Addie Newcomer of Bloomfield, Michael Kennedy, Frank J. Mashek, both of Advance, and Mrs. Elmer Callow of Bell City have been admitted to St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Sam C. Taylor of East Prairie has been admitted to Cape Osteopathic hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Maj. John Wesley Powell made history as the first explorer to brave the mysteries and rapids of the Colorado. The veteran of the Civil War ran the wild river with only one arm, since he had lost the other at Shiloh.

FIVE GENERATIONS gathered at the home of Mrs. Ida Westerfield of Canalou to celebrate her 88th birthday Feb. 14. From left are Mrs. John Lyman Whitten of Matthews, Mrs. Westerfield's great-granddaughter; John Engram of Vanduser, her grandson; John Lyman Whitten Jr. of Matthews, her great-great-grandson; Mrs. Westerfield and Mrs. Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser, Mrs. Westerfield's daughter.

Kegler's Korner

By MARY MEYER

We have a very modest celebrity in our midst. Last week, we were told that Norma Baker won first place in the all events, at the tournament in Jackson recently. She was not even going to mention it. Belated, but sincere congratulations to Norma.

Our own tournament is coming up starting March 12. We would like to encourage everyone to enter all the events. We have heard it said, in the past, that the City Association tournament was only for the high average bowlers. As an argument against that, may we point to last year's winners of the team event and of the doubles event. The only event for the high average bowler is the scratch all events. The other events, as you know, are all handicap. So, let's all come out, sign up and make our city tournament a resounding success this year.

In regular league play, this past week, Betty Ramsey had high individual game of 202 of the Newcomers, while Anita Ziegler had the high three-game series of 533. The Peanuts had the high team game of 852 and the Hi-Los had the high team three-game series with 2,362.

Lois Blacker picked up the 6-7-10 split; Margaret Moorman, 2-6; Sonja Nelson, 5-6-7 and Shirley Crowley, 5-6.

Games won and lost:

Hi-Los 4 - Go Getters 0; Witches 3- Peanuts 1 and Percolators 2- Sparettes 2.

On the Housewives League, Flora Crouthers had high individual game of 203 and Peggy Swacker rolled 525 for the high three-game series. The Sparettes had high team game of 823 and the Strikers had the high team three-game series with 2,345.

Evelyn Warf picked up the 5-10 and 3-10 splits; Edith Lough, 5-7-9 and 5-8-10.

Games won and lost:

Rollettes 4-Town & Country 0; Strikers 3½ -Road Runners ½; Alley Cats 3-Pin Ups 1; Whiffys 3- Hecklers 1 and; Ten Pens 2-Sparettes 2.

Jo Spitzmiller sparked the Delta Imperialettes with the high individual game of 234 and Norma Baker rolled a big 609 for the high individual three-game series. Ziegenhorn collected both high team game and series with 936 - 2,585.

Linda Gipson picked up the 2-7 and 5-10 splits; Jean Wilson, 2-7; Barbara Macke, 5-7; Lois Cokenour, 5-10; Rosie Bandl, 4-5 and 5-10 and Anita Ziegler, 4-5-7.

Games won and lost (incomplete):

Ziegenhorn 4- Campbell's Farms 0; Ferrell's 3-Barkett's 1; L & A Laundry 4- A & B 0; Reiss 4- Police 0.

With the Royal Keglers, Hildred Poole rolled a 216 for individual high game and Willie Burrow fired a 581 for high individual three-game series. C. D. Alcorn had high team game with 1,098 and Lewis Furniture had high team three-game series of 2,992. Jean Anderson picked up the 5-10 split and Peggy Swacker, 5-7 and 6-7.

Games won and lost:

Lewis Furniture Company 3- Bank of Sikeston 1; C. D. Alcorn 3- Holyfield Flying 1; Hope's Auto Electric 3- General Oil Company 1; H. Herb Stephens 3 - Wade's Body Shop 1; Liberty Supermarket 3- Malone & Hyde 1; First National Bank 3-Busch Bavarian 1.

With the Friday Bowlettes, Patty Crabb had the high individual game of 240 and Vera Gaston had the high individual series with a 539. Nowell Construction collected both high team game and series with totals of 856-2,312.

Peggy Teague picked up the 5-7 split; Brenda Hodges, 6-10; Mary Ann Nancy, 5-10 and Carol Riley, 5-6.

Games won and lost:

International Shoe no. two 4- Anchor Toy 0; Medical Arts 3- International Shoe no. one 1; Ziegenhorn Insurance 3-Beardsley Chevrolet 1; Vogue Dress Shop 3- Rodgers Oil 1; Nowell Construction 3- Canvas Products 1 and a local radio station 2- E. P. Coleman 2.

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Pickle relish
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Bread-butter-milk

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Wednesday, March 6
Barbecue wiener
Baked beans
Celery stick
Strawberry Jello
Milk-breat-butter

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Wednesday, March 6
Chicken and dumplings
Green peas
Candied sweet potatoes
Lettuce salad with French dressing
1/2 pint milk
Egg custard

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Wednesday, March 6
1/2 pint milk
Chicken pie
Buttered vegetables
Tossed salad
Mixed fruit with grapefruit sections
Bread and butter

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Wednesday, March 6
Chicken with dressing
Whipped potatoes with gravy
Green beans
Hot rolls-butter
Mixed fruit
Milk

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Fried ham
Cold potato salad
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Miller officiated at the ceremony.

The couple's attendants were Myra Woolf and Gary Puckett, the bride's brother.

A reception was held at the Freeman home. Wedding cake and punch were served.

Among those present were Teresa and Linda Freeman, Janet Holyfield and Glen Becker.

The couple will live in Oran where both are employed by the International Hat Factory. Mrs. Freeman is a 1965 graduate of Oran high school and her husband is a 1964 graduate of Sikeston high school. He served three years in the army including a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Patsy Stroud Says Vows With Lonnie Dodson

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Of Local Interest

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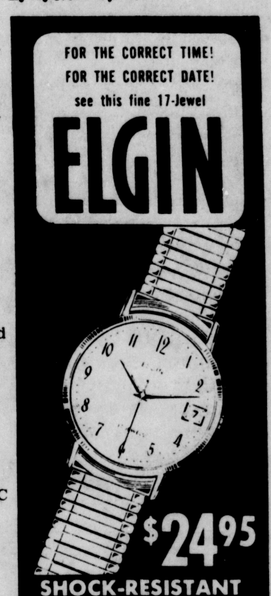

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CARMAN

Pfc. and Mrs. James Carman of Benton are the parents of a daughter born Monday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. Named Jamie Lea, the infant weighed eight pounds and is the couple's first child. Mrs. Carman is the former Miss Karen Cunningham, daughter of Mrs. Reba Dodson of Fredericktown. Pfc. Carman is in the army, stationed at Fort Leonard Wood. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vaughn of Florissant.

ARNOLD

Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold of Sikeston are the parents of a son born Saturday in the Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau. Named Mark Edward, the infant weighed seven pounds and one half ounce.

He is the couple's fourth child and second son. Mrs. Arnold is the former Miss Fleta Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis of Sikeston. Arnold is a supervisor of the post office at Sikeston and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Arnold of Sikeston.

Canalou Woman Celebrates 88th Birthday

CANALOU -- Mrs. Ida Westerfield celebrated her 88th birthday Feb. 14 at a party at her home. She was born Feb. 14, 1880.

Five generations were present at the celebration.

Mrs. Westerfield has three daughters, Mrs. Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser, Mrs. Lola Thornton, who lives with her mother and Mrs. Kenneth Averett, route one, Parma. She has 15 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Her husband, L. C. Westerfield, died in 1959.

HOSPITAL NOTES

PATIENTS ADMITTED TO THE MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL: 3-4-68

Clyde Launius, Sikeston
Frances Frans, Wyatt
Harry E. Pryor, Sikeston
Paul Bradley, New Madrid
Berta Marie Lewis, New Madrid
Mary Fane Crews, Bloomfield
Charles B. Clark, Lilbourn
Belle Green, Bertrand
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Etta F. Pippin, Dexter

PATIENTS DISCHARGED FROM THE MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL: 3-4-68

Ruel Huey, Sikeston
Jeff Wells, Sikeston
Audrey E. Cox, Sikeston
Lyle C. Bird, Matthews
Margaret Moore, Charleston
Ralph Ervin, St. Louis
Alice B. Marshall, Sikeston
Brenda McCutchen, East Prairie
Sylvia Cook, Benton
Mrs. Linda Ramsey and Baby Boy, Sikeston
Mrs. Carolyn Nunn and Baby Girl, Sikeston

Sylvetta Daniels, Mrs. Robille Sanders, both of Bernie, and Mrs. Ora Pflueger of Malden have been admitted to Doctors hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Ruth Ray of Malden, Mrs. Mildred Parks of Parma, Mrs. Nellie Manuel of Dexter, Mrs. Carmel Ashley of Gideon and Mrs. Carolyn Crews of Malden have been released from Doctors hospital.

Mrs. Thelma Bowman of Bernie and Orlin Garner of Dexter have been admitted to Lucy Lee hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Annie Presley of Dexter and Miss Linda Edwards of Essex have been released from Lucy Lee hospital.

Miss Bessie Cooper of Bernie, Mrs. Miranda Jarrell, Miss Betty Christian, both of Dexter, and Mrs. Shirley Jarrell of Bloomfield have been admitted to Poplar Bluff hospital.

Miss Beulah Moore, Mrs. Mary Riley, both of Malden, and Parvin Williamson of Essex have been released from Poplar Bluff hospital.

Mrs. Ada McKinley of Advance, Mrs. Delmer Underwood of Bloomfield, Mrs. A. S. Brown of Charleston, Mrs. Vernon Cox of Bernie, Beth Weber of Dexter, Mrs. Oliver Ray of Portageville and Ernest Stewart of Lilbourn have been admitted to Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Addie Newcomer of Bloomfield, Michael Kennedy, Frank J. Mashek, both of Advance, and Mrs. Elmer Callow of Bell City have been admitted to St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Sam C. Taylor of East Prairie has been admitted to Cape Osteopathic hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Maj. John Wesley Powell made history as the first explorer to brave the mysteries and rapids of the Colorado. The veteran of the Civil War ran the wild river with only one arm, since he had lost the other at Shiloh.

FIVE GENERATIONS gathered at the home of Mrs. Ida Westerfield of Canalou to celebrate her 88th birthday Feb. 14. From left are Mrs. John Lyman Whitten of Matthews, Mrs. Westerfield's great-granddaughter; John Engram of Vanduser, her grandson; John Lyman Whitten Jr. of Matthews, her great-great-grandson; Mrs. Westerfield and Mrs. Harley Barnes Sr. of Vanduser, Mrs. Westerfield's daughter.

Kegler's Korner

By MARY MEYER

We have a very modest celebrity in our midst. Last week, we were told that Norma Baker won first place in the all events, at the tournament in Jackson recently. She was not even going to mention it. Belated, but sincere congratulations to Norma.

Our own tournament is coming up starting March 12. We would like to encourage everyone to enter all the events. We have heard it said, in the past, that the City Association tournament was only for the high average bowlers. As an argument against that, may we point to last year's winners of the team event and of the doubles event. The only event for the high average bowler is the scratch all events. The other events, as you know, are all handicap. So, let's all come out, sign up and make our city tournament a resounding success this year.

In regular league play, this past week, Betty Ramsey had high individual game of 202 of the Newcomers, while Anita Ziegler had the high three-game series of 533. The Peanuts had the high team game of 852 and the Hi-Los had the high team three-game series with 2,362.

Lois Blacker picked up the 6-7-10 split; Margaret Moorman, 2-6; Sonja Nelson, 5-6-7 and Shirley Crowley, 5-6.

Games won and lost:

Hi-Los 4 - Go Getters 0; Witches 3- Peanuts 1 and Percolators 2- Sparettes 2.

On the Housewives League, Flora Crouthers had high individual game of 203 and Peggy Swacker rolled 525 for the high three-game series. The Sparettes had high team game of 823 and the Strikers had the high team three-game series with 2,345.

Evelyn Warf picked up the 5-10 and 3-10 splits; Edith Lough, 5-7-9 and 5-8-10.

Games won and lost:

Roffettes 4-Town & Country 0; Strikers 3½ -Road Runners ½; Alley Cats 3-Pin Ups 1; Whiffys 3- Hecklers 1 and; Ten Pens 2-Sparettes 2.

Jo Spitzmiller sparked the Delta Imperialettes with the high individual game of 234 and Norma Baker rolled a big 609 for the high individual three-game series. Ziegenhorn collected both high team game and series with 936 - 2,585.

Linda Gipson picked up the 2-7 and 5-10 splits; Jean Wilson, 2-7; Barbara Macke, 5-7; Lois Cokenour, 5-10; Rosie Bandl, 4-5 and 5-10 and Anita Ziegler, 4-5-7.

Games won and lost (incomplete):

Ziegenhorn 4- Campbell's Farms 0; Ferrell's 3-Barkett's 1; L & A Laundry 4- A & B 0; Reiss 4- Police 0.

With the Royal Keglers, Hildred Poole rolled a 216 for individual high game and Willie Burrow fired a 581 for high individual three-game series. C. D. Alcorn had high team game with 1,098 and Lewis Furniture had high team three-game series of 2,992. Jean Anderson picked up the 5-10 split and Peggy Swacker, 5-7 and 6-7.

Games won and lost:

Lewis Furniture Company 3- Bank of Sikeston 1; C. D. Alcorn 3- Holyfield Flying 1; Hope's Auto Electric 3- General Oil Company 1; H. Herb Stephens 3 - Wade's Body Shop 1; Liberty Supermarket 3- Malone & Hyde 1; First National Bank 3- Busch Bavarian 1.

With the Friday Bowlettes, Patty Crabb had the high individual game of 240 and Vera Gaston had the high individual series with a 539. Nowell Construction collected both high team game and series with totals of 856-2,312.

Peggy Teague picked up the 5-7 split; Brenda Hodges, 6-10; Mary Ann Nancy, 5-10 and Carol Riley, 5-6.

Games won and lost:

International Shoe no. two 4- Anchor Toy 0; Medical Arts 3- International Shoe no. one 1; Ziegenhorn Insurance 3- Beardsley Chevrolet 1; Vogue Dress Shop 3- Rodgers Oil 1; Nowell Construction 3- Canvas Products 1 and a local radio station 2- E. P. Coleman 2.

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Wednesday, March 6
Chicken with dressing
Whipped potatoes with gravy
Green beans
Hot rolls-butter
Mixed fruit
Milk

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS
Wednesday, March 6
1/2 pint milk
Fried ham
Cold potato salad
Prunes
Grapefruit sections
Hot rolls with sesame seed
Butter

PARMA SCHOOLS
Wednesday, March 6
Ham with beans
Mustard greens
Sweet potatoes
Raisin cobbler
Bread-butter-milk

SCOTT COUNTY R-V PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Wednesday, March 6
Chili and crackers
Cheese slice
Cake
Butter
1/2 pint milk

MATTHEWS R-V SCHOOLS
Wednesday, March 6
Chicken salad sandwich
Corn
Crowder peas
Peaches
Coconut cake
Butter
1/2 pint milk

Ruth Ann Puckett Bride Of Donald W. Freeman

Ruth Ann Puckett and Donald Wade Freeman were married at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the home of Jimmy Miller, minister of the Northside Church of Christ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Puckett of Oran and Freeman's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ulyess Freeman, 204 Bynum.

Miller officiated at the ceremony.

The couple's attendants were Myra Woolf and Gary Puckett, the bride's brother.

A reception was held at the Freeman home. Wedding cake and punch were served.

Among those present were Teresa and Linda Freeman, Janet Holyfield and Glen Becker.

The couple will live in Oran where both are employed by the International Hat Factory. Mrs. Freeman is a 1965 graduate of Oran high school and her husband is a 1964 graduate of Sikeston high school. He served three years in the army including a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Patsy Stroud Says Vows With Lonnie Dodson

PARMA -- Miss Patsy Ann Stroud of Circle City and Lonnie Ray Dodson were married Feb. 24, at the home of Rev. George South, with the Rev. Mr. South officiating for the 5:30 p.m. double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cravens were their only attendants.

Of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sander, 220 West Gladys, had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jackson of Dexter and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Neumeyer.

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Bluff Advances In Class L Play

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- Poplar Bluff's Mules advanced into the quarter-finals of the class L state basketball tournament by handing Flat River a 56-52 defeat in first round action Monday night at Houck field house.

Now boasting a 21-5 record the Mules will face Kirkwood in quarterfinal play at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday at Kiel Auditorium in St. Louis. Kirkwood extended its season mark to 22-3 in a 75-61 first round triumph over Christian Brothers Monday night at St. Louis.

Quarterfinal winners qualify for the semifinals and finals to be played Friday and Saturday nights on the Kiel court. The Poplar Bluff-Kirkwood victor will face the winner of Wednesday's 7 p.m. clash between O'Fallon and McCluer in a semifinal duel at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Overcoming a 16-15 first quarter deficit, the hustling Mules of Coach John Gibbs edged ahead in the second period and fought off Flat River efforts to regain the lead throughout the last three frames. At halftime Poplar Bluff led 34-31, and at the close of three periods the Mules had increased their edge to 46-39.

The loss of floor general Bruce Holloway and Johnny Piper on fouls and failure to cash in at the free throw line kept the Mules from extending their margin any farther in the final quarter. In fact, Flat River threatened to take the lead as the Mules missed eight free throws in the last frame, but the nearest in the Mineral Area squad got was 49-48 with around three minutes to play.

However, behind the inspired efforts of Dennis Payne, Poplar Bluff was able to erase the threat and build its lead back to six points, 56-50, before a final uncontested basket by Flat River in the closing seconds. Payne, who had a hot hand throughout and became the Mules' take-charge man after the departure of Holloway, topped both teams with 27 points.

Holloway was the only other Mule to reach double figures, collecting 10 points before leaving with five fouls. Reeder with 14 and Scism with 13 were the Flat River leaders.

Box scores:

Poplar Bluff (56)	FG	FT	F	TP
Payne	11	5	2	27
Piper	3	1	5	7
Holloway	5	0	5	10
Wyatt	2	1	1	5
H. Moss	1	1	4	3
L. Moss	0	2	0	2
Mitchell	1	0	3	2
Totals	23	10	20	56

Flat River (52)	FG	FT	F	TP
Reeder	4	6	3	14
Gross	3	2	2	8
Sechrest	3	3	3	9
Honbeck	3	2	0	8
Scism	4	5	4	13
Gibson	0	0	2	0
Totals	17	18	14	52

Score by Quarters:				
Poplar Bluff	15	19	12	10
Flat River	16	15	8	13

PRIME CANDIDATES for elevation onto baseball's superstar pinnacle are Chicago Cub pitcher Ken Holtzman (left) and St. Louis outfielder Lou Brock, shown scoring in the World Series.

Robinson, Callison Unhappy With Oriole, Philly Offers

By the Associated Press

Frank Robinson and Johnny Callison feel Baltimore and Philadelphia are adding insult to injury with their money offers to play baseball this year. The Orioles and Phillies, on the other hand, feel Robinson and Callison have added their figures wrong.

As a result of these mixed up mathematics of baseball value, the two slugging outfielders remained two of the biggest name holdouts as major league spring training moves on.

Clete Boyer, third baseman for Atlanta, was another who has not found the right answer in his talks with the Braves.

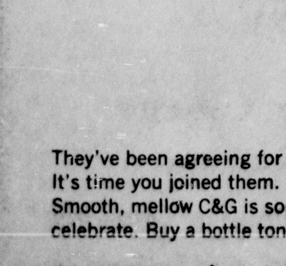
But some agreeable figures were reached Monday as Frank Howard signed the largest money contract ever, $47,500, by a Washington player; Mel Queen, Tommy Helms and rookie Jay Ritchie ended their holdout with Cincinnati, and the Orioles did come to terms with Dave Johnson and Curt Blefary.

Robinson, however, remained Baltimore's big problem, and if everyone's figures are correct, the American League Triple Crown winner two years ago and the Orioles are $15,000 apart.

Robinson, who sat out a month last season with double vision after a baseline collision and still managed to hit .311 with 94 runs batted in and 30 home runs, says he is standing by $125,000.

Personnel director Harry Dalton of the Orioles, who originally offered last year's $100,000 salary, then raised it to $105,000, reportedly increased his offer to $110,000 Monday after talking to Robinson 1½ hours.

For Callison, a former All-Star outfielder who suffered a torn cartilage last year and played in considerable pain for some time, the problem was a little different.



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'68 College All-American Basketball Selections

By MURRAY OLDERMAN
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The 1968 College All-American basketball team, announced by Newspaper Enterprise Association, shows off some of the finest athletes in the world—beyond simple basketball talent.

The five—Elvin Hayes, Lew Alcindor, Wes Unseld, Don May and Pete Maravich—were selected by the National Basketball Association's 12 coaches and their talent scouts. The athletes showed remarkable abilities to control the ball and their bodies, from driving lay-ups and long jump shots to precision timing for rebounds and passes as well as strength under pressure.

This standout five illustrates how far basketball has come since the day in 1891 when Dr. James Naismith cried "Eureka," jumped out of his bathtub in Springfield, Mass., and ran through the streets proclaiming the invention of a new game—basketball.

In the early days, as many as 50 on a side crashed into each other trying to put the ball through the peach basket. Harvard president Charles W. Eliot, in 1908, called the game "more brutal than football."

Now basketball, a "noncontact" sport with still plenty of head-knocking, is played by the most agile individuals this side of the ballet.

Leading the 1968 All-Americans is Elvin Hayes, Houston's 6-8, 235-pound star, who, surprisingly, is the lone unanimous choice. It is not startling that Hayes is unanimous, but that Lew Alcindor is not.

Alcindor, 7-1½ junior center for UCLA, was chosen on 11 first-team ballots and one second-team. Alcindor and Jimmy Walker of Providence were unanimous picks last year.

Wes Unseld, the muscular, 6-8 senior center for Louisville, is a repeater on the NEA All-American squad, along with Hayes and Alcindor. He polled 10 first-place votes and two seconds.

Dayton's Don May, a 6-4 senior forward and the shortest man on this honor squad's team, burst into national prominence in the semifinals of the NCAA tournament last year. Dayton upset North Carolina and May hit on 13 consecutive field goals and finished with 34 points and 15 rebounds.

The only sophomore on the squad is "Pistol" Pete Maravich of Louisiana State University. There are no cries of nepotism in Baton Rouge when the coach, Press Maravich, starts his son. All Pete has done is average over 40 points a game and lead the nation in scoring from the beginning of the season.

Maravich squeaked past Larry Miller of North Carolina to earn a spot on the top five.

Maravich's scorecard read five firsts and three seconds. Miller had four firsts and five seconds. Others receiving more than one first-place vote were Jo Jo White of Kansas (three votes) and Calvin Murphy of Niagara (two).

Had Dr. Naismith lived to watch these supreme athletes, he might have echoed the words of Bobby Jones, the former great amateur golfer. When Jones saw Jack Nicklaus make shot after incredible shot to win the 1965 Masters, Jones said: "Nicklaus plays a game I am not familiar with."

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Top Cage Teams Vie For Tourney Spots

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Three, and possibly four, members of the Top Ten major college basketball teams begin play this week in the NCAA tournament, but two others might have to fight each other just to get in.

Top-ranked and unbeaten Houston, third-ranked and unbeaten St. Bonaventure and No. 10 Davidson help get the NCAA tourney under way Saturday.

Columbia's eighth-ranked Lions also will play Saturday if they can beat Princeton in an Ivy League playoff tonight. If not, Princeton will play La Salle at College Park, Md.

Davidson will meet St. John's, N.Y., also at College Park; Houston takes on Chicago Loyola at Salt Lake City, Utah, and St. Bonaventure battles Boston College at Kingston, R.I.

But North Carolina and Duke, Nos. 5 and 6, must compete in the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament, which determines the NCAA representative.

The teams played last Saturday, and the outcome was North Carolina's second 87-86 loss of the week. The first was to South Carolina and, coupled with the second, knocked the Tar Heels from third to fifth.

Duke, on the other hand, rocketed from 10th to sixth, replacing Columbia, which tumbled to eighth after losing to Princeton.

Second-ranked UCLA already has an NCAA spot but doesn't close its regular season schedule until Saturday against Southern California.

In this week's poll, Kentucky moved up one notch to fourth, New Mexico remained seventh, and Louisville held onto No. 9.

Marquette, No. 8 last week, dropped out after losing to Xavier, Ohio, and Western Michigan while Davidson took over the 10th spot after winning three games in the Southern Conference tournament.

The Top Ten with first-place votes in parentheses and total points through games of March 2:

1. Houston (24)	267
2. UCLA (3)	255
3. St. Bonaventure	212
4. Kentucky	176
5. North Carolina	151
6. Duke	113
7. New Mexico	94
8. Columbia	69
9. Louisville	67
10. Davidson (1)	45

State Scores

Missouri Class L Basketball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

At Kansas City Southeast

Southeast 76, Truman 64

At Kansas City Oak Park

De La Salle 67, St. Joseph Benton 62

At Cape Girardeau

Poplar Bluff 56, Flat River 52

At St. Louis Lindbergh

Kirkwood 75, St. Louis Christian Brothers 61

At St. Louis Washington U.

O'Fallon 77, Mehlville 33

At St. Louis Ritenour

McCluer 58, Ritenour 33

At Jefferson City

Columbia Hickman 61, Salem 55

At Raytown

Ruskin 67, Springfield Parkview 56

Wednesday's quarter-final pairings;

At Kansas City Southeast— De La Salle (14-15) vs. Southeast (18-8)

At St. Louis— O'Fallon (21-3) vs. McCluer (16-10); Poplar Bluff (21-5) vs. Kirkwood (22-3)

At Warrensburg — Columbia Hickman (21-5) vs. Ruskin (18-11).

Benvenuti Regains Title; Frazier Cuts Down Mathis

NEW YORK (AP) — Nino Benvenuti is once again middleweight champion of the world and Joe Frazier rules as heavyweight king of at least part of it today after a record-setting boxing doubleheader at Madison Square Garden.

A crowd of 18,096 paid $658,503, an indoor fight gate record, to watch the stylish Benvenuti outlast Emile Griffith for a unanimous decision and Frazier stalk and pound blubbery Buster Mathis into submission in the 11th round.

Frazier, fighting for recognition by New York, Massachusetts, Maine, and Illinois as heavyweight champ, wore Mathis down with punishing body blows before finally dropping the big guy from Grand Rapids, Mich., with a short, stiff left hook in the 11th.

Mathis, his white trunks covered with blood, fell into the ropes heavily. He stumbled to his feet at the count of nine but Referee Arthur Mercante stopped the fight. The time was 2:33.

"This ought to prove who owns who," a jubilant Frazier shouted in his dressing room. Joe, who won the Olympic heavyweight title in 1964, twice lost to Mathis as an amateur. The defeats were the only blemishes on his record.

Frazier, the one-time butcher boy from Philadelphia, bloodied Mathis' nose in the third round, and then concentrated on the big guy's body in the middle rounds.

The stiff body punches tore into Buster's ample mid-section and took the steam out of the 243½ pound Mathis' fast start.

Yancy Durham, Frazier's manager, had advised the 24-year-old slugger to work on Mathis' body. "Beat him around the belly," Durham had told Frazier, "and he'll eventually give up."

So Joe, giving up 39 pounds to Mathis, pounded away and from the sixth round on it seemed obvious he was in complete control.

Mathis, badly shaken by the defeat, said he was stunned at losing the way he did.

"I thought I as ahead," he said, "then I pulled back from a left hook and got tagged."

Jimmy Iselin, wealthy young head of Peers, Inc., which has managed Mathis' career, said that if Buster continued fighting, it would be against tougher opponents.

Frazier went into the bout a 2-1 favorite, mostly because he had faced tougher opponents in his 19-fight career than Buster.

"Maybe we took this fight too soon," said Iselin, "I don't know."

Frazier was undaunted by the limited recognition of only four states and the pre-fight picket lines thrown up by supporters of Cassius Clay. The pickets carried signs claiming Clay still was heavyweight champion. Cassius was stripped of his title by several boxing commissions for refusing to serve in the Armed Forces.

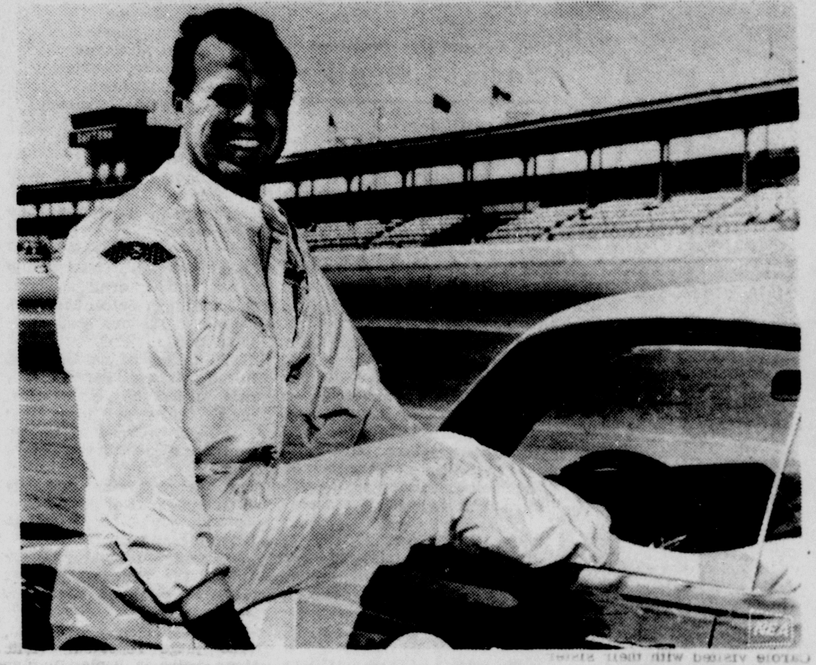
Asked if he felt like the world champion, Frazier became annoyed.

"What do you think, man?" he snapped. "What do you think I was fighting for out there?"

Benvenuti, who beat Griffith for the second time, decked Emile in the ninth round with a left hook that turned the middleweight fight around.

Both boxers lunged into each other in the opening minute of the round and Benvenuti's left crunched into Griffith's jaw. Emile sagged and Nino pumped a right that sent him to the canvas.

"The guy hit me," said Griffith, "there's no doubt about that." Emile spun across the ring and landed on the seat of his pants with a stunned look on his face.



A. J. FOYT CLIMBS BACK in the saddle after suffering severe injuries and burns at Phoenix, Ariz., in January while testing his Indianapolis car. Foyt's doctors have approved his return to competition.

Drury Squares Playoff Series

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) — Rockhurst and Drury, 1-1 in their NAIA District 16 basketball playoff, will decide tonight which one advances to the national tournament in Kansas City next week.

Rockhurst won the first game 82-76 in Kansas City last Saturday, then Drury beat the Hawks 70-60 Monday night on the Drury court.

Drury broke a 15-15 tie and outscored the Hawks 18-4 in the next eight minutes to take command and keep it. The halftime score was 34-22.

Rockhurst tried a zone defense, but Drury riddled it with long shots. Then the Hawks went to a man-for-man, and finally, in the last half, a desperate full-court press.

They kept the lid on Drury's Fredrick brothers fairly well. Gail Fredrick got 13 points and Virgie only 8, but that left Steve Hutchinson free to pot 21 and Tom Bollinger 15.

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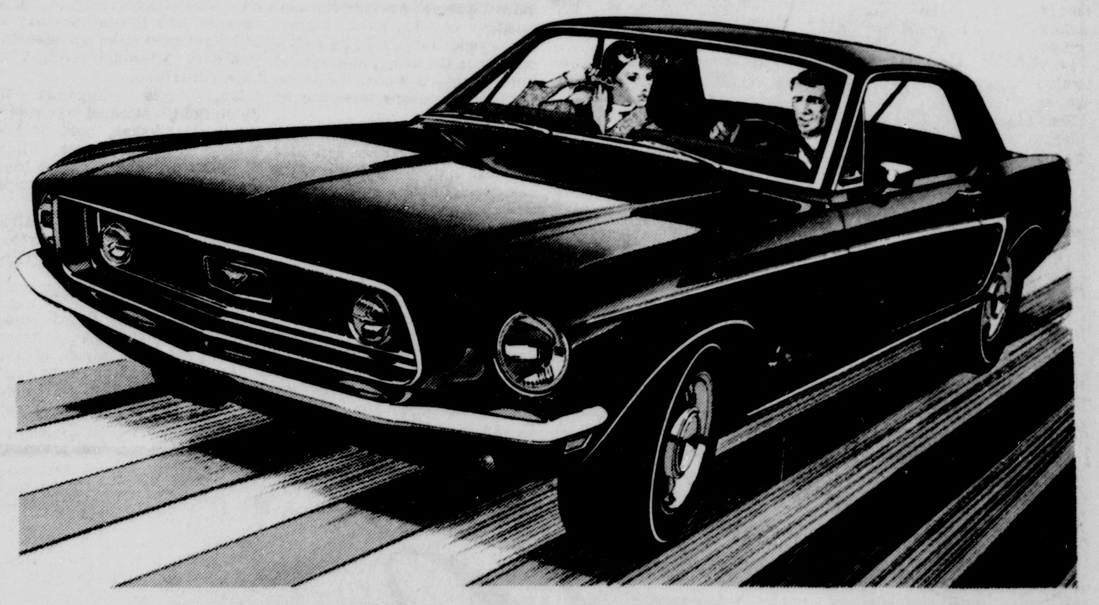

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Bluff Advances In Class L Play

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- Poplar Bluff's Mules advanced into the quarter-finals of the class L state basketball tournament by handing Flat River a 56-52 defeat in first round action Monday night at Houck field house.

Now boasting a 21-5 record the Mules will face Kirkwood in quarterfinal play at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday at Kiel Auditorium in St. Louis. Kirkwood extended its season mark to 22-3 in a 75-61 first round triumph over Christian Brothers Monday night at St. Louis.

Quarterfinal winners qualify for the semifinals and finals to be played Friday and Saturday nights on the Kiel court. The Poplar Bluff-Kirkwood victor will face the winner of Wednesday's 7 p.m. clash between O'Fallon and McCluer in a semifinal duel at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Overcoming a 16-15 first quarter deficit, the hustling Mules of Coach John Gibbs edged ahead in the second period and fought off Flat River efforts to regain the lead throughout the last three frames. At halftime Poplar Bluff led 34-31, and at the close of three periods the Mules had increased their edge to 46-39.

The loss of floor general Bruce Holloway and Johnny Piper on fouls and failure to cash in at the free throw line kept the Mules from extending their margin any farther in the final quarter. In fact, Flat River threatened to take the lead as the Mules missed eight free throws in the last frame, but the nearest in the Mineral Area squad got was 49-48 with around three minutes to play.

However, behind the inspired efforts of Dennis Payne, Poplar Bluff was able to erase the threat and build its lead back to six points, 56-50, before a final uncontested basket by Flat River in the closing seconds. Payne, who had a hot hand throughout and became the Mules' take-charge man after the departure of Holloway, topped both teams with 27 points.

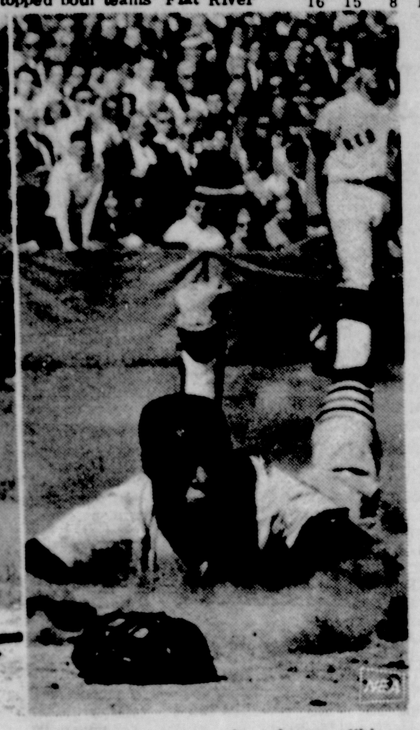
Holloway was the only other Mule to reach double figures, collecting 10 points before leaving with five fouls. Reeder with 14 and Scism with 13 were the Flat River leaders.

Box scores:

Poplar Bluff (56)	FG	FT	F	TP
Payne	11	5	2	27
Piper	3	1	5	7
Holloway	5	0	5	10
Wyatt	2	1	1	5
H. Moss	1	1	4	3
L. Moss	0	2	0	2
Mitchell	1	0	3	2
Totals	23	10	20	56

Flat River (52)	FG	FT	F	TP
Reeder	4	6	3	14
Gross	3	2	2	8
Sechrest	3	3	3	9
Honbeck	3	2	0	8
Scism	4	5	4	13
Gibson	0	0	2	0
Totals	17	18	14	52

Score by Quarters:				
Poplar Bluff	15	19	12	10
Flat River	16	15	8	13



PRIME CANDIDATES for elevation onto baseball's superstar pinnacle are Chicago cub pitcher Ken Holtzman (left) and St. Louis outfielder Lou Brock, shown scoring in the World Series.

BETWEEN YOU'N'ME

'68 College All-American Basketball Selections

By MURRAY OLDERMAN
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The 1968 College All-American basketball team, announced by Newspaper Enterprise Association, shows off some of the finest athletes in the world—beyond simple basketball talent.

The five—Elvin Hayes, Lew Alcindor, Wes Unseld, Don May and Pete Maravich—were selected by the National Basketball Association's 12 coaches and their talent scouts. The athletes showed remarkable abilities to control the ball and their bodies, from driving lay-ups and long jump shots to precision timing for rebounds and passes as well as strength under pressure.

This standout five illustrates how far basketball has come since the day in 1891 when Dr. James Naismith cried "Eureka," jumped out of his bathtub in Springfield, Mass., and ran through the streets proclaiming the invention of a new game—basketball.

In the early days, as many as 50 on a side crashed into each other trying to put the ball through the peach basket. Harvard president Charles W. Eliot, in 1936, called the game "more brutal than football."

Now basketball, a "noncontact" sport with still plenty of head-knocking, is played by the most agile individuals this side of the ballet.

Leading the 1968 All-Americans is Elvin Hayes, Houston's 6-8, 235-pound star, who, surprisingly, is the lone unanimous choice. It is not startling that Hayes is unanimous, but that Lew Alcindor is not.

Alcindor, 7-1½ junior center for UCLA, was chosen on 11 first-team ballots and one second-team. Alcindor and Jimmy Walker of Providence were unanimous picks last year.

Wes Unseld, the muscular, 6-8 senior center for Louisville, is a repeater on the NEA All-American squad, along with Hayes and Alcindor. He polled 10 first-place votes and two seconds.

Dayton's Don May, a 6-4 senior forward and the shortest man on this honor squad's team, burst into national prominence in the semifinals of the NCAA tournament last year. Dayton upset North Carolina and May hit on 13 consecutive field goals and finished with 34 points and 15 rebounds.

The only sophomore on the squad is "Pistol" Pete Maravich of Louisiana State University. There are no cries of nepotism in Baton Rouge when the coach, Press Maravich, starts his son. All Pete has done is average over 40 points a game and lead the nation in scoring from the beginning of the season.

Maravich squeaked past Larry Milier of North Carolina to earn a spot on the top five.

Maravich's scorecard read five firsts and three seconds. Miller had four firsts and five seconds. Others receiving more than one first-place vote were Jo Jo White of Kansas (three votes) and Calvin Murphy of Niagara (two).

Had Dr. Naismith lived to watch these supreme athletes, he might have echoed the words of Bobby Jones, the former great amateur golfer. When Jones saw Jack Nicklaus make shot after incredible shot to win the 1965 Masters, Jones said: "Nicklaus plays a game I am not familiar with."

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Benvenuti Regains Title; Frazier Cuts Down Mathis

NEW YORK (AP) — Nino Benvenuti is once again middleweight champion of the world and Joe Frazier rules as heavyweight king of at least part of it today after a record-setting boxing doubleheader at Madison Square Garden.

A crowd of 18,096 paid $658,503, an indoor fight gate record, to watch the stylish Benvenuti outlast Emile Griffith for a unanimous decision and Frazier stalk and pound blubbery Buster Mathis into submission in the 11th round.

Frazier, fighting for recognition by New York, Massachusetts, Maine, and Illinois as heavyweight champ, wore Mathis down with punishing body blows before finally dropping the big guy from Grand Rapids, Mich., with a short, stiff left hook in the 11th.

Mathis, his white trunks covered with blood, fell into the ropes heavily. He stumbled to his feet at the count of nine but Referee Arthur Mercante stopped the fight. The time was 2:33.

"This ought to prove who owns who," a jubilant Frazier shouted in his dressing room. Joe, who won the Olympic heavyweight title in 1964, twice lost to Mathis as an amateur. The defeats were the only blemishes on his record.

Frazier, the one-time butcher boy from Philadelphia, bloodied Mathis' nose in the third round, and then concentrated on the big guy's body in the middle rounds.

The stiff body punches tore into Buster's ample mid-section and took the steam out of the 243½ pound Mathis' fast start.

Yancy Durham, Frazier's manager, had advised the 24-year-old slugger to work on Mathis' body. "Beat him around the belly," Durham had told Frazier, "and he'll eventually give up."

So Joe, giving up 39 pounds to Mathis, pounded away and from the sixth round on it seemed obvious he was in complete control.

Mathis, badly shaken by the defeat, said he was stunned at losing the way he did.

"I thought I as ahead," he said, "then I pulled back from a left hook and got tagged."

Jimmy Iselin, wealthy young head of Peers, Inc., which has managed Mathis' career, said that if Buster continued fighting, it would be against tougher opponents.

Frazier went into the bout a 2-1 favorite, mostly because he had faced tougher opponents in his 19-fight career than Buster.

"Maybe we took this fight too soon," said Iselin, "I don't know."

Frazier was undaunted by the limited recognition of only four states and the pre-fight picket lines thrown up by supporters of Cassius Clay. The pickets carried signs claiming Clay still was heavyweight champion. Cassius was stripped of his title by several boxing commissions for refusing to serve in the Armed Forces.

Asked if he felt like the world champion, Frazier became annoyed.

"What do you think, man?" he snapped. "What do you think I was fighting for out there?"

Benvenuti, who beat Griffith for the second time, decked Emile in the ninth round with a left hook that turned the middleweight fight around.

Both boxers lunged into each other in the opening minute of the round and Benvenuti's left crunched into Griffith's jaw. Emile sagged and Nino pumped a right that sent him to the canvas.

"The guy hit me," said Griffith, "there's no doubt about that." Emile spun across the ring and landed on the seat of his pants with a stunned look on his face.

A. J. FOYT CLIMBS BACK in the saddle after suffering severe injuries and burns at Phoenix, Ariz., in January while testing his Indianapolis car. Foyt's doctors have approved his return to competition.

Drury Squares Playoff Series

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) — Rockhurst and Drury, 1-1 in their NAIA District 16 basketball playoff, will decide tonight which one advances to the national tournament in Kansas City next week.

Rockhurst won the first game 82-76 in Kansas City last Saturday, then Drury beat the Hawks 70-60 Monday night on the Drury court.

Drury broke a 15-15 tie and outscored the Hawks 18-4 in the next eight minutes to take command and keep it. The halftime score was 34-22.

Rockhurst tried a zone defense, but Drury riddled it with long shots. Then the Hawks went to a man-for-man, and finally, in the last half, a desperate full-court press.

They kept the lid on Drury's Fredrick brothers fairly well. Gail Fredrick got 13 points and Virgie only 8, but that left Steve Hutchinson free to pot 21 and Tom Bollinger 15.

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Robinson, Callison Unhappy With Oriole, Philly Offers

By the Associated Press

Frank Robinson and Johnny Callison feel Baltimore and Philadelphia are adding insult to injury with their money offers to play baseball this year. The Orioles and Phillies, on the other hand, feel Robinson and Callison have added their figures wrong.

As a result of these mixed up mathematics of baseball value, the two slugging outfielders remained two of the biggest name holdouts as major league spring training moves on.

Clete Boyer, third baseman for Atlanta, was another who has not found the right answer in his talks with the Braves.

But some agreeable figures were reached Monday as Frank Howard signed the largest money contract ever, $47,500, by a Washington player; Mel Queen, Tommy Helms and rookie Jay Ritchie ended their holdout with Cincinnati, and the Orioles did come to terms with Dave Johnson and Curt Blefary.

Robinson, however, remained Baltimore's big problem, and if everyone's figures are correct, the American League Triple Crown winner two years ago and the Orioles are $15,000 apart.

Robinson, who sat out a month last season with double vision after a baseline collision and still managed to hit .311 with 94 runs batted in and 30 home runs, says he is standing by $125,000.

Personnel director Harry Dalton of the Orioles, who originally offered last year's $100,000 salary, then raised it to $105,000, reportedly increased his offer to $110,000 Monday after talking to Robinson 1½ hours.

For Callison, a former All-Star outfielder who suffered a torn cartilage last year and played in considerable pain for some time, the problem was a little different.

Top Cage Teams Vie For Tourney Spots

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Three, and possibly four, members of the Top Ten major college basketball teams begin play this week in the NCAA tournament, but two others might have to fight each other just to get in.

Top-ranked and unbeaten Houston, third-ranked and unbeaten St. Bonaventure and No. 10 Davidson help get the NCAA tourney under way Saturday.

Columbia's eighth-ranked Lions also will play Saturday if they can beat Princeton in an Ivy League playoff tonight. If not, Princeton will play La Salle at College Park, Md.

Davidson will meet St. John's, N.Y., also at College Park; Houston takes on Chicago Loyola at Salt Lake City, Utah, and St. Bonaventure battles Boston College at Kingston, R.I.

But North Carolina and Duke, Nos. 5 and 6, must compete in the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament, which determines the NCAA representative.

The teams played last Saturday, and the outcome was North Carolina's second 87-86 loss of the week. The first was to South Carolina and, coupled with the second, knocked the Tar Heels from third to fifth.

Duke, on the other hand, rocketed from 10th to sixth, replacing Columbia, which tumbled to eighth after losing to Princeton.

Second-ranked UCLA already has an NCAA spot but doesn't close its regular season schedule until Saturday against Southern California.

In this week's poll, Kentucky moved up one notch to fourth, New Mexico remained seventh, and Louisville held onto No. 9.

Marquette, No. 8 last week, dropped out after losing to Xavier, Ohio, and Western Michigan while Davidson took over the 10th spot after winning three games in the Southern Conference tournament.

The Top Ten with first-place votes in parentheses and total points through games of March 2:

1. Houston (24)	267
2. UCLA (3)	255
3. St. Bonaventure	212
4. Kentucky	176
5. North Carolina	151
6. Duke	113
7. New Mexico	94
8. Columbia	69
9. Louisville	67
10. Davidson (1)	45

State Scores

Missouri Class L Basketball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

At Kansas City Southeast
Southeast 76, Truman 64

At Kansas City Oak Park
De La Salle 67, St. Joseph Benton 62

At Cape Girardeau
Poplar Bluff 56, Flat River 52

At St. Louis Lindbergh
Kirkwood 75, St. Louis Christian Brothers 61

At St. Louis Washington U.
O'Fallon 77, Mehlville 33

At St. Louis Ritenour
McCluer 58, Ritenour 33

At Jefferson City
Columbia Hickman 61, Salem 55

At Raytown
Ruskin 67, Springfield Parkview 56

Wednesday's quarter-final pairings;

At Kansas City Southeast— De La Salle (14-15) vs. Southeast (18-8)

At St. Louis— O'Fallon (21-3) vs. McCluer (16-10); Poplar Bluff (21-5) vs. Kirkwood (22-3)

At Warrensburg — Columbia Hickman (21-5) vs. Ruskin (18-11).

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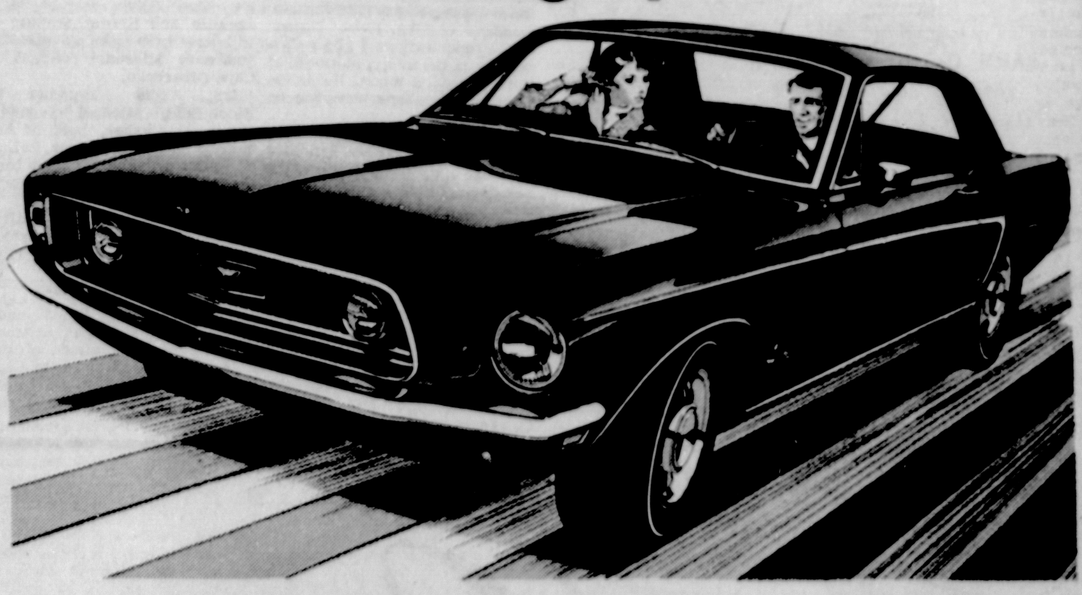

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Mississippi County Race for Court Post

CHARLESTON -- There is now only one contest for the seven Mississippi county offices in the Aug. 6 Democratic primary.

Albert Stallings, farmer, filed for associate judge, in the second district of the county court opposing Lloyd Hall, the incumbent.

No one has filed in the Republican primary.

The county offices and incumbents, who have filed:

State legislature, David Rolwing; sheriff, W. J. "Pedro" Simmons; prosecuting attorney, Roderic R. Ashby; assessor, Ed DeField; surveyor, Raymond R. Lee, seeking a second term, after having been elected by write-in votes to a first term; For associate judge, first district of the county court, Gilbert Bryant.

The district comprises Tywappity and Long Prairie townships.

The second district incompasses St. James, Ohio, Mississippi, Wolf Island and James Bayou townships.

Also elected in the primary, will be committeemen and committeewomen for both Democratic and Republican parties of the seven counties.

The filing deadline is April 30.

BELL CITY STUDENTS enrolled in the 1968 Sew with Cotton Contest, which will be conducted at the Bloomfield School, are, from left, Sandy White, Linda Wingfield, Donna Carrol, and Gloria Dunlap.

Divorce Suit Withdrawn

BLOOMFIELD -- Judge William H. Billings heard these cases in circuit court.

Larry G. Trammell vs. Janis Sue Trammell, divorce, plaintiff dismisses petition without prejudice.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway Co. vs. Howard Chrisman and others, account, defendant granted additional 15 days to answer interrogatories and comply with request for admissions.

Willie Ray Reece, charged with felonious assault, case remanded to magistrate court for preliminary hearing for defendant.

Interstate Feasability Co. vs. Howard Chrisman et al, contract, motion to dismiss submitted and sustained, plaintiff's petition dismissed.

Carl Knowles vs. Mattie K. Bonning and others, damages, motion to dismiss submitted and by the court overruled, cause set for March 18.

Re: estate of Cecil L. Lankford, claim on estate, judgment by consent for claimant. Virginia House and against estate of Cecil L. Lankford. Costs taxed against estate.

Danny Joe Tucker, and others charged with burglary and stealing, remanded to magistrate court for preliminary hearing.

Bonnie Cobb Roberts vs. Franklin Cleveland Moring, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant.

Leonard Stanfield, charged with operating auto without permission of owner, sentenced to five years in prison.

Charles Ritch, appeal on non-support charge, defendant ordered to appear on March 4 for hearing.

George Wilburn Haskins vs. Clorene Alberta McDowell Haskins, divorce, set for March 18.

James Arvil Lux and Ann Lux vs. Aaron Hardener, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant per stipulation filed.

George A. Rimer and Dorothy Rimer vs. Floyd Hubbert, money had and received, defendant's motion to set aside judgment or for new trial taken up by court and in all things overruled and denied.

Doris Jean Pruitt vs. Billy Ray Pruitt, divorce, motion to modify set for March 14.

Benjamin Cagle vs. Betty Lee Green, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant.

These cases were filed:

Marilyn Cooper Cox vs. Michael A. Cox, divorce.

Dexter National Bank vs. Paul Kennedy and Joyce L. Kennedy, note.

Leona Francis Swain vs. George Arthur Swain, divorce.

Clark A. Whitwell vs. Gladys Blake Whitwell, divorce.

State vs. Robert Ross, stealing more than $50.

State vs. Florence Jeffery, passing bogus check two counts.

Emma Chaffin vs. Eldon P. Payne, damages.

Ralph Spears, d.b.a. Spears Construction Co., vs. Thomas Holmes, on contract.

Gus Swan, charged with careless and imprudent driving.

Reginald Fitzgerald vs. Larry D. Putman and Archie McKuin, damages.

Nancy Clary vs. Charles Clary, divorce.

Illinois Couple Visits at Parma

CANALOU - Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Harrison of Bloomington, Ill., were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Maty Harrison of Parma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Bixler and children of Cape Girardeau were guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary Hopper, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bixler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Hill picked up his mother, Mrs. Charlie Weatherford and his sister, Mrs. Barney Starkey, to take them to St. Louis because of the death of their brother and uncle, Lonnie Howard.

Mrs. Irene Hill and Teresa of Dexter were guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Vinson Nickles and family.

Mrs. Phillip Newman, Phil and Carole visited with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Elmer Gruen and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Abernathey visited with their son, Harvey, in Fort Leonard Wood. Harvey leaves March 3 for Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sandars returned home after a month's vacation in Arizona and California. They visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harlan in San Jose, Calif. Harlen was former school superintendent.

Stan and Brad Jones of Lilbourn were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCullock, while their mother, Mrs. Bill Jones, underwent minor surgery in the Hayti hospital. Mr. and Mrs. McCullock and Mrs. Elmer Gruen went to Lilbourn to attend the sixth grade a patriotic program. Their grandchildren, Brad Jones and Melissa Smith, were in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gruen visited with their daughter, Mary Ann, in Kansas City and with her mother, Mrs. Dessie Shepherd, and her sister, Miss Emily Shepherd in St. Louis.

Mrs. Dick Wiffen attended the patriotic program in the Lilbourn school where her son, Ricky, was a performer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Curtis and Dana of O'Fallon were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bond, and Butch and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kreps of Washington, Ind., spend the weekend with Mrs. Emma Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Chaney and Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruen. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Reed of Matthews.

Evangelist Bill Proctor minister of the Church of Christ, will move to Alabama where he will work with the church there. Evangelist Bobby Harris of New Madrid will preach Sunday at the church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett Sr. were baby sitters for their grandchildren in Dexter while the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett Jr., went on a business trip. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Engram of Vanduser.

Miss Joanie Geske, who attends college in Charleston, Ill., is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Geske and Mike.

Mrs. B. P. Melton returned home after visiting two weeks with her sister Mrs. S. C. Olinger of Rock Falls, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pigg. From St. Louis she was accompanied home by her niece, Mrs. Helen Treslnar and husband.

Mrs. Floyd Stormes of Fort Wayne, Ind., is visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. Maggie McLarin and other relatives.

Three Facing Theft Charges — Waive Hearings

KENNETT -- Three persons waived preliminary hearings on charges of burglary and larceny in Dunklin County magistrate court. They were bound over to circuit court.

Those bound over to circuit court on the felony charges were Jimmie R. Cooper, 21, of Wood River, Ill., Jesse Kincade Jr., 39, of Malden and Adrain Franklin Padfield, 56, of Malden.

Only driving while intoxicated cases were considered in misdemeanor cases other than traffic offenses. Five persons pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and were fined the amount shown and paroled from a six-month jail sentence conditioned on good behavior and payment of costs in the amounts shown.

Their driver's licenses or Missouri driving privileges were also revoked. They were Jerold Wayne Stafford, 29, of Malden, $125 fine and $11 costs; Jimmy Lee Montgomery, 23, of Holcomb, $125 fine and $11 costs; Glendo Turner, 49, Senath Route Two, $125 fine and $11 costs; Howard Emanuel Rickard, 38, of Dallas, Tex., $125 fine and $17.05 costs; William Lonnie Benefield, 53, of Leachville, Ark., Route One, $125 fine and $11 costs.

Changes of Venue to Pemiscot County were awarded upon application of Robert Leslie Karnes, 65, of Senath Route Two, and Audrey Everettt Sturgeon, 52, of Malden Route Two. Driving while intoxicated charges against Delbert Dorcey Qualls, 32, of Kennett, were continued to March 28.

Conduct Of Judge— Investigated

POPLAR BLUFF - St. Louis County Circuit Judge John D. Hasler has come under the investigation of the Missouri supreme court advisory committee on bar discipline following disclosure he became involved with a defendant in a divorce suit.

The defendant, Mrs. Jean Poole Shelby, 26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Poole of Poplar Bluff, said the judge had met with her several times concerning the case. Judge Hasler told reporters that he had disqualified himself in the case Feb. 7 "because he became emotionally involved."

Mrs. Shelby, the mother of four small children, was sued for divorce about nine months ago by her husband, Delmer Shelby, a Puxico area native now working as a machinist at a Chevrolet plant in St. Louis. He charged his wife had been adulterous in his petition filed seeking the divorce. In a cross-bill filed with the court Mrs. Shelby charged general indignities.

The judge reportedly visited Mrs. Shelby in Poplar Bluff and accompanied her to a party at the Holiday Inn on New Year's Eve this year.

She is a former waitress at the Holiday Inn, according to her mother. She also has worked as a secretary at Foust's Plumbing and Heating, Mrs. Poole said.

Mrs. Shelby told a reporter she also had made several trips to St. Louis to consult with Judge Hasler about the divorce case, meeting him at Motels for the conferences.

Judge Hasler is 56, a Republican, and the father of eight children. He was elected in 1966 and lives in Ladue.

Highway to Be Opened to Two-Way Cars

CAPE GIRARDEAU - The one-way portion of old highway 61, which has been used to carry highway 74 and South Sprigg street traffic in a northerly direction since Interstate 55 was opened, will again be designated as a two-way stretch.

W. H. Shaw state highway department district 10 engineer, said the changover will become effective Friday after the present signs and markings are revised to allow for two-way traffic.

On the south, the stretch passes beside the Southeast Missouri Stone Co. quarry, intersecting on the north with Highway 61.

There is a blacktop road running parallel to the west of the old highway 61. A left - hand turn was previously provided by a narrow road off highway 61 for southbound traffic wishing to get to the blacktop road or to return north.

The left-turn is north of the approach to the Dutchtown overpass, A. C. Brase of the Cape special road district said.

Committee Named At Meeting of Eastern Star

BELL CITY -- Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lape presided at the meeting of the Sapphire chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star Tuesday.

Mrs. Lape appointed a ways and means committee of Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Henson, Mrs. Ronnie Weeks and Mrs. James DeLay.

Miss Edithe Howlett is a new member. Initiatory degrees will be received by Miss Howlett and Mrs. Gary Watkins at Tuesday's meeting.

John Jennings had been dismissed from a hospital in Cape Girardeau after surgery.

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Richard Bollinger, Tallahassee, Fla., returned to his home Feb. 23 after spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Linnie Bollinger.

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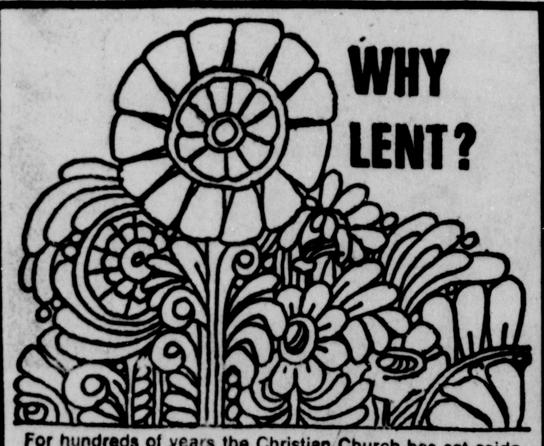

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Mississippi County Race for Court Post

CHARLESTON -- There is now only one contest for the seven Mississippi county offices in the Aug. 6 Democratic primary.

Albert Stallings, farmer, filed for associate judge, in the second district of the county court opposing Lloyd Hall, the incumbent.

No one has filed in the Republican primary.

The county offices and incumbents, who have filed:

State legislature, David Rolwing; sheriff, W. J. "Pedro" Simmons; prosecuting attorney, Roderic R. Ashby; assessor, Ed DeField; surveyor, Raymond R. Lee, seeking a second term, after having been elected by write-in votes to a first term; For associate judge, first district of the county court, Gilbert Bryant.

The district comprises Tywappity and Long Prairie townships.

The second district incompasses St. James, Ohio, Mississippi, Wolf Island and James Bayou townships.

Also elected in the primary, will be committeemen and committeewomen for both Democratic and Republican parties of the seven counties.

The filing deadline is April 30.

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Divorce Suit Withdrawn

BLOOMFIELD -- Judge William H. Billings heard these cases in circuit court.

Larry G. Trammell vs. Janis Sue Trammell, divorce, plaintiff dismisses petition without prejudice.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway Co. vs. Howard Chrisman and others, account, defendant granted additional 15 days to answer interrogatories and comply with request for admissions.

Willie Ray Reece, charged with felonious assault, case remanded to magistrate court for preliminary hearing for defendant.

Interstate Feasability Co. vs. Howard Chrisman et al, contract, motion to dismiss submitted and sustained, plaintiff's petition dismissed.

Carl Knowles vs. Mattie K. Bonning and others, damages, motion to dismiss submitted and by the court overruled, cause set for March 18.

Re: estate of Cecil L. Lankford, claim on estate, judgment by consent for claimant. Virginia House and against estate of Cecil L. Lankford. Costs taxed against estate.

Danny Joe Tucker, and others charged with burglary and stealing, remanded to magistrate court for preliminary hearing.

Bonnie Cobb Roberts vs. Franklin Cleveland Moring, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant.

Leonard Stanfield, charged with operating auto without permission of owner, sentenced to five years in prison.

Charles Ritch, appeal on non-support charge, defendant ordered to appear on March 4 for hearing.

George Wilburn Haskins vs. Clorene Alberta McDowell Haskins, divorce, set for March 18.

James Arvil Lux and Ann Lux vs. Aaron Hardener, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant per stipulation filed.

George A. Rimer and Dorothy Rimer vs. Floyd Hubbert, money had and received, defendant's motion to set aside judgment or for new trial taken up by court and in all things overruled and denied.

Doris Jean Pruitt vs. Billy Ray Pruitt, divorce, motion to modify set for March 14.

Benjamin Cagle vs. Betty Lee Green, damages, dismissed with prejudice at cost of defendant.

These cases were filed:

Marilyn Cooper Cox vs. Michael A. Cox, divorce.

Dexter National Bank vs. Paul Kennedy and Joyce L. Kennedy, note.

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Gus Swan, charged with careless and imprudent driving.

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Illinois Couple Visits at Parma

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Bixler and children of Cape Girardeau were guests of his mother, Mrs. Mary Hopper, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bixler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Hill picked up his mother, Mrs. Charlie Weatherford and his sister, Mrs. Barney Starkey, to take them to St. Louis because of the death of their brother and uncle, Lonnie Howard.

Mrs. Irene Hill and Teresa of Dexter were guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Vinson Nickles and family.

Mrs. Phillip Newman, Phil and Carole visited with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Elmer Gruen and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Abernathey visited with their son, Harvey, in Fort Leonard Wood. Harvey leaves March 3 for Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sanders returned home after a month's vacation in Arizona and California. They visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harlan in San Jose, Calif. Harlen was former school superintendent.

Stan and Brad Jones of Lilbourn were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCullock, while their mother, Mrs. Bill Jones, underwent minor surgery in the Hayti hospital. Mr. and Mrs. McCullock and Mrs. Elmer Gruen went to Lilbourn to attend the sixth grade a patriotic program. Their grandchildren, Brad Jones and Melissa Smith, were in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gruen visited with their daughter, Mary Ann, in Kansas City and with her mother, Mrs. Dessie Shepherd, and her sister, Miss Emily Shepherd in St. Louis.

Mrs. Dick Wiffen attended the patriotic program in the Lilbourn school where her son, Ricky, was a performer.

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Evangelist Bill Proctor minister of the Church of Christ, will move to Alabama where he will work with the church there. Evangelist Bobby Harris of New Madrid will preach Sunday at the church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett Sr. were baby sitters for their grandchildren in Dexter while the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Averett Jr., went on a business trip. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Engram of Vanduser.

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Three Facing Theft Charges Waive Hearings

KENNETT -- Three persons waived preliminary hearings on charges of burglary and larceny in Dunklin County magistrate court. They were bound over to circuit court.

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Conduct Of Judge Investigated

POPLAR BLUFF - St. Louis County Circuit Judge John D. Hasler has come under the investigation of the Missouri supreme court advisory committee on bar discipline following disclosure he became involved with a defendant in a divorce suit.

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Airman Bollinger, an airframe repairman in the 437th Military Airlift Wing at Charleston AFB, S. C., will wear the distinctive service ribbon as a permanent decoration.

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Airlines Soon May Have to Consider Men For Stewardess Role

WASHINGTON (AP) — Weary men anticipating a soothing smile from a sleek female stewardess when they climb aboard an airliner may soon have to be content with the attentions of a fellow male.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ruled Friday that airlines have no right to discriminate against males in hiring "flight cabin attendants" — stewardesses, in popular parlance.

Commissioner Luther Holcomb was the only dissenter in the 3-1 vote, which did not include a decision on whether airlines can legally retire stewardesses when they marry or reach certain ages.

Any commission decision on those questions would now presumably involve whether male cabin attendants can be grounded when they marry or reach the age where their looks begin to fade.

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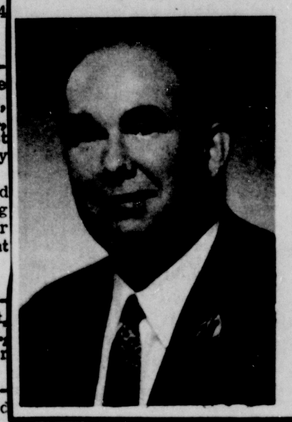

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(D0340) DA NANG, VIETNAM (FHTNC) -- Steelworker Second Class John A. Byrd, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Byrd of 703 Murray Lane, and husband of the former Miss Peggy D. Wade of Rte 2, all of Sikeston, Mo., is serving with U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 62 at Camp Haskins near Da Nang, Vietnam.

The mission of his battlion is to build and maintain bridges and roads in the Da Nang area, construct living quarters for military personnel and provide support facilities for combat operations.

In addition to the building projects, they also conduct Civic Action Programs designed to promote goodwill between the Vietnamese people and the United States.

(D0340) DA NANG, VIETNAM (THANC) -- Builder Third Class Charles E. Hoffmann, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Hoffmann of 709 N. Elm St., Dexter, Mo., is serving with U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 62 at Camp Haskins near Da Nang, Vietnam.

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PLEIKU, VIETNAM (AHTNC)-Army Sergeant First Class Alfred B. Leefbetter, son of Mrs. Mary E. Smith, Mound City, Ill., was assigned as a flight operations sergeant with the 4th Infantry Division near Pleiku, Vietnam, Feb. 1.

His wife, Shannen, lives at 1014 Davis Blvd., Sikeston, Mo.

WEST POINT, N. Y (AHTNC)-Cadet Ronald E. Spears, 19, whose mother, Mrs. Eugene Spears, lives at 401 Carrol, Sikeston, Mo., was named to the Dean's List Feb. 15 at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.

A Third Classman, he received the honor after finishing among the top students in his class for the first semester of the current academic year.

EVERETT, Wash. -- Staff Sergeant William C. Bennett, formerly of 311 Virginia Ave., New Madrid, Mo., has arrived for duty at Paine Field, Wash.

Sergeant Bennett, a supply computer superintendent, is assigned to a unit of the Aerospace Defense Command.

He previously served at Takhli Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

The sergeant is a graduate of O'Banno High School.

NORTH CHARLESTON, S. C. -- Airman First Class Danny K. Bollinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bollinger Jr. of Benton, Mo., has been recognized for helping his unit earn the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Airman Bollinger, an airframe repairman in the 437th Military Airlift Wing at Charleston AFB, S. C., will wear the distinctive service ribbon as a permanent decoration.

The unit was cited for achieving an exceptionally meritorius rating for distingushed service during a one-year period.

Factors which led to the unit being named for the award include development of a highly responsible airlift organization which maintained vital airlift organization which maintained vital airlift routes essential to the United States overseas commitment to free nations in the world.

The airman attended Kelly High School.

His wife, LaDonna, is the daughter of A. W. Bollinger of 223 Solon, Ballwin, Mo. Mrs. Bollinger's mother, Mrs. Helen Bollinger, resides at 504 W. Yoakum, Chaffee, Mo.

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93 YEARS OF DERBIES

LOUISVILLE (AP)—The first Kentucky Derby was run May 17, 1875.

Airlines Soon May Have to Consider Men For Stewardess Role

WASHINGTON (AP) — Weary men anticipating a soothing smile from a sleek female stewardess when they climb aboard an airliner may soon have to be content with the attentions of a fellow male.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ruled Friday that airlines have no right to discriminate against males in hiring "flight cabin attendants" — stewardesses, in popular parlance.

Commissioner Luther Holcomb was the only dissenter in the 3-1 vote, which did not include a decision on whether airlines can legally retire stewardesses when they marry or reach certain ages.

Any commission decision on those questions would now presumably involve whether male cabin attendants can be grounded when they marry or reach the age where their looks begin to fade.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Committee Talks School Reorganization

BELL CITY - Plans for school district reorganization were discussed at the first meeting of the citizens advisory committee of Bell City.

Forrest Jackson, superintendent of schools in Bell City, said the needs of the district would be studied with the results being reported at the next meeting. He added that maps of present school districts will be studied to determine the needs for transportation for class A, AA and AAA.

In addition, Jackson stated, a study of the population trend in the district for the past 10 years will be made to try to set a pattern for future growth in the schools.

HONOLULU (AP) - City Councilman Matsuo Takabuki says Augustine Salvat, Mexico's minister of tourism, favors direct flights between Acapulco or Mexico City to Hawaii. Takabuki adds that Salvat feels that such air service would be a logical link for tourists who wish to visit both Mexican and Hawaiian resorts.

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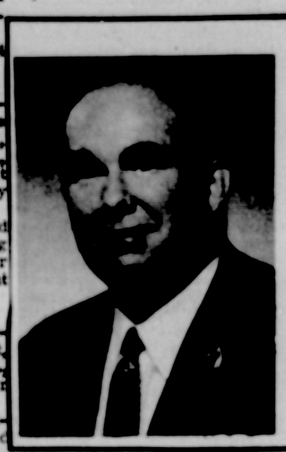

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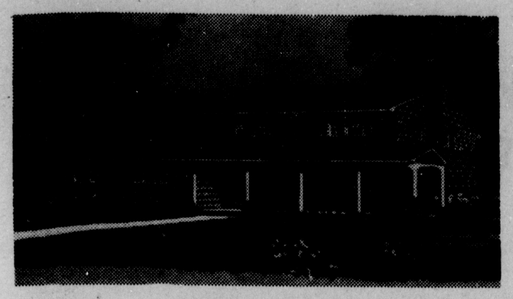

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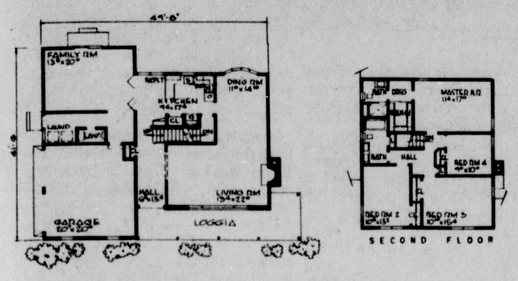

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Records

Bricusse Writes Script and Score

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer

When Leslie Bricusse (pronounced Lezlie BRICKus) jumped int the movie pond, he jumped with a splash.

His first writing is not only for a big movie, "Doctor Dolittle," but he did ALL the writing—screenplay, music and lyrics. Th latter two can be heard on the 20th Century-Fox soundtrack album

Bricusse music has been heard in this country before, when he collaborated with fellow Englishman Anthony Newley on the Broadway shows, "Stop the World—I Want To Get Off" and "The Roar of the Greasepaint —the Smell of the Crowd." From each of those came a hit song, "What Kind of Fool Am I?" and "Who Can I Turn To?". Newley starred in both shows.

LESLIE BRICUSSE

Bricusse, 32, isn't interested in performing. He was in "An Evening with Beatrice Lillie" for a year after graduating from Cambridge but he'd rather write than perform.

"Tony had never written songs before we started together," Bricusse says, "so we laid out the ground rules on the way we would work and off we went.

"The first thing we wrote together was 'Stop the World.' We had immediate rapor. We wrote that whole score in eight days.

"There's no division between us as there normally is with song writers. We both write both words and music. It is like working alone, only instead of talking to yourself, you're talking to somebody else.

"Sometimes we can remember moments when one or the other thought of some great thing. But usually every line is hammered out together. It's a very good way to work, but a rare thing. Normally a composer sends his melody to the lyricist. That is not really a collaboration."

Bricusse says that while Newley acts, he writes. "I like to do one project with him and then one without him while he is doing his acting bit. We have a project planned now to write together. If we don't do it, it'll be because of circumstances, not because of any split."

Bricusse has three more movie musical projects lined up —about Noah's Ark, about Sherlock Holmes and an adaptation of "Cyrano de Bergerac." "I'd like to do the Sherlock Holmes film in the process that shows several different pictures all at once on different-size screens. Then that can all be printed on one piece of film and shown in the theater on one screen.

"The project I'm most excited about now is 'Cyrano.' There are some ballads during sword fights and marvelous declarations of love made through another man. The first time I broke it down for the score, I came up with 43 songs. There are so many great moments and speeches that would lend themselves to being songs, that you're hard pressed."

Bricusse says, "The writing of songs isn't much different for movies than for the stage, but the screen gives much greater freedom of being able to jump around in time and space. Remember how 'Do Re Me' kept cutting from one place to another in 'The Sound of Music'?"

Gene Kelly films were a big influence on him, Bricusse says, and he's delighted that big movie musicals have come back. "There were some films of Broadway hits and some with Elvis Presley singing, but 'Mary Poppins' was the first original screen musical in seven years—since 'Gigi.' Since then, everything is a musical.

"There is far more opportunity for Tony and me over here than in England. It is something to do with the fact that the whole show business scene is much bigger in this country. More product is needed.

"Also the English attitude toward the musical is that it is something amateurs can do if that is what they enjoy —like tennis—it is not really a profession. But musical films are beginning to be made in England now; we'll see if they start being taken seriously.

"One can never tell how long the present film boom will run on musicals. It would suit me very well if it would run a long time.

"I imagine it will continue until somebody lays a $10 million egg."

THE TOP TEN

Best-selling records of the week based on The Cash Box Magazines nationwide survey

"Love Is Blue," Mauriat
"Green Tambourine," Lemon Pipers
"Judy in Disguise," Fred
"Spooky," Classics IV
"I Wish it Would Rain," Temptations
"Nobody But Me," Human Beinz
"Bend Me, Shape Me," American Breed
"Goin' Out of My Head," Lettermen
"Baby Now that I've Found You," Foundations
"My Baby Must Be a Magician," Marvelettes

(NEA Telephoto)

WHITNEY YOUNG JR., executive secretary of the National Urban League, led off Congress' first investigation into big city riots by testifying that the causes of violence in Newark were practically blueprinted by city officials when they applied for federal "model cities" aid.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF SIKESTON)
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STATE OF MISSOURI)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF APRIL 2, 1968, TO VOTE ON EXTENSION OF CITY LIMITS OF CITY OF SIKESTON, MISSOURI

All voters of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, are hereby notified that a Special Election of said City will be held on Tuesday, April 2, 1968, at which time the question of whether or not the City of Sikeston, Missouri, shall extend its City Limits to include the following described property located in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in Section 28, Township 26 North, Range 14 East, Scott County, Missouri, said point being on the existing East corporate limit line of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, and said point being the intersection of a line parallel to and 300 feet South of the South right of way line of Ables road with a line extended South from the West corporate limit line of the City of Miner, Missouri, thence North to the Southwest corner of the corporate limit of said City of Miner, thence East along the South corporate limit line of said City of Miner to the West right of way line of Missouri State Highway Route AA, Scott County, thence South on and along West right of way line of said Route AA 800 feet, more or less, to the North right of way line of a Scott County road, thence Southwesterly on and along the North right of way line of said Scott County road to a point 30 feet North of the Scott - New Madrid County line, thence West on and along a line approximately 2100 feet to the West side of a North-South road dividing the properties of the Fred Matthews Estate and Glenn Matthews Estate, thence North on and along the West side of said North - South road to a point 300 feet South of the South right of way line of Ables Road, thence East on and along a line 300 feet South of the South right of way line and parallel to Ables Road to the point of beginning.

Shall be submitted to the voters of this City. The above - described property is located generally South of Ables Road and East of Illinois Street extended.

This Special Election will be held at the same times, at the same polling places and by the same Judges and Clerks used for the General Election to be held by said City on Tuesday, April 2, 1968. The ballot to be used will be in the following form:

For Extension of City Limits ☐
Against Extension of City Limits ☐

JOHN W. VAUGHN
City Clerk
City of Sikeston, Mo.

136-141-147

Research Shows Glimmers of Light

How the March of Dimes Fights Birth Defects

By VIRGINIA APGAR, M.D., M.P.H.
Director, Basic Research Dept.
The National Foundation
March of Dimes

Research into the causes and treatment of birth defects is moving along today at a pace few of us would have believed possible even a decade ago.

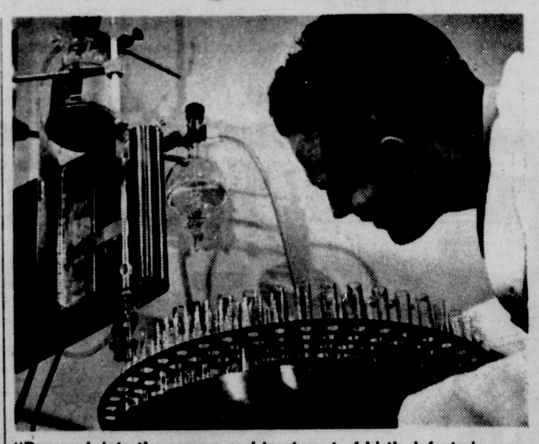
Even so, we scientists are confronted by a long and uphill climb. We lack firm answers to hundreds of questions, but at least our questions are getting sharper and more penetrating. There are a few glimmers of light where, for centuries, there was dark ignorance. As of now, we still cannot prevent most birth defects, but there are at least four areas that show progress.

In research today, perhaps the greatest hope comes from the German measles (rubella) preventive vaccine developed last year by the Federal Government's Division of Biologics Standards of the National Institutes of Health. The vaccine is now undergoing tests around the world. Licensing of this or similar vaccines is expected in another two or three years, well ahead of the next German measles epidemic which will probably hit the United States around 1970.

We have known since 1940 that German measles in the expectant mother, particularly in the first three months of pregnancy, can be a major cause of birth defects.

The German measles epidemic of 1964-'65 caused defects, including blindness, deafness, heart disease and mental retardation, in at least 20,000 infants. Accordingly, if it proves successful, the new vaccine must be considered a medical breakthrough.

Again, in the area of research, medical science is well on its way toward the conquest of Rh disease. In the last decade, due mainly to diagnostic advances and fetal transfusions, mortality has already been reduced substantially from this disorder. In 1955, deaths in the United States from Rh factor totaled about 2,400 while in 1965 the figured dropped to 1,500.



"Research into the causes and treatment of birth defects is moving along today at a pace few of us would have believed possible even a decade ago."

The expectation now is that the disease will be wiped out entirely in the foreseeable future. Recent studies in the United States, England and Germany have demonstrated that by treating an Rh-negative woman very soon after her first pregnancy with a specially prepared gamma globulin, which is obtained from blood, she can be prevented from producing antibodies that would attack the red blood cells of her next infant. This treatment should completely prevent Rh disease except among those women who have already been sensitized.

Another provocative step in research into birth defects, the field which The National Foundation-March of Dimes entered after its successful fight against polio, deals with what is now called "fetal medicine." This means direct treatment of the developing infant within the womb before birth. Some proponents of fetal surgery predict that in 10 years the fetus will be treated by direct intervention into the uterus.

Finally, medical scientists are much interested today in research into the body's immunity system, now believed to be controlled at least in part by the thymus, a butterfly-shaped gland located in the mid-chest area. Recently The National Foundation-March of Dimes sponsored a meeting devoted to this mysterious gland and to immunity mechanisms generally. It is also supporting research in this area.

One intriguing theory maintains that the thymus "dial" may in time be adjusted up or down. Turn down the immunity system to permit a kidney transplant. Turn up the system to destroy a cancer. But this achievement is a bit farther off than the day after tomorrow.

Thus, while the foregoing has made liberal use of oversimplification, we can say that mankind is making progress toward more knowledge about killing and crippling birth defects. It may be the day after tomorrow sooner than we think.

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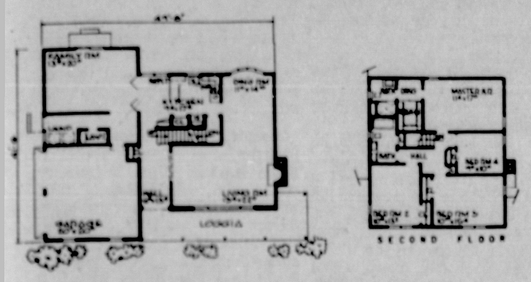

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Records

Bricusse Writes Script and Score

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer

When Leslie Bricusse (pronounced Lezlie BRICKus) jumped int the movie pond, he jumped with a splash.

His first writing is not only for a big movie, "Doctor Dolittle," but he did ALL the writing—screenplay, music and lyrics. Th latter two can be heard on the 20th Century-Fox soundtrack album

Bricusse music has been heard in this country before, when he collaborated with fellow Englishman Anthony Newley on the Broadway shows, "Stop the World—I Want To Get Off" and "The Roar of the Greasepaint —the Smell of the Crowd." From each of those came a hit song, "What Kind of Fool Am I?" and "Who Can I Turn To?". Newley starred in both shows.

LESLIE BRICUSSE

Bricusse, 32, isn't interested in performing. He was in "An Evening with Beatrice Lillie" for a year after graduating from Cambridge but he'd rather write than perform.

"Tony had never written songs before we started together," Bricusse says, "so we laid out the ground rules on the way we would work and off we went.

"The first thing we wrote together was 'Stop the World.' We had immediate rapor. We wrote that whole score in eight days.

"There's no division between us as there normally is with song writers. We both write both words and music. It is like working alone, only instead of talking to yourself, you're talking to somebody else.

"Sometimes we can remember moments when one or the other thought of some great thing. But usually every line is hammered out together. It's a very good way to work, but a rare thing. Normally a composer sends his melody to the lyricist. That is not really a collaboration."

Bricusse says that while Newley acts, he writes. "I like to do one project with him and then one without him while he is doing his acting bit. We have a project planned now to write together. If we don't do it, it'll be because of circumstances, not because of any split."

Bricusse has three more movie musical projects lined up —about Noah's Ark, about Sherlock Holmes and an adaptation of "Cyrano de Bergerac."

"I'd like to do the Sherlock Holmes film in the process that shows several different pictures all at once on different-size screens. Then that can all be printed on one piece of film and shown in the theater on one screen.

"The project I'm most excited about now is 'Cyrano.' There are a lot of possibilities during sword fights and marvelous declarations of love made through another man. The first time I broke it down for the score, I came up with 43 songs. There are so many great moments and speeches that would lend themselves to being songs, that you're hard pressed."

Bricusse says, "The writing of songs isn't much different for movies than for the stage, but the screen gives much greater freedom of being able to jump around in time and space. Remember how 'Do Re Me' kept cutting from one place to another in 'The Sound of Music'?"

Gene Kelly films were a big influence on him, Bricusse says, and he's delighted that big movie musicals have come back.

"There were some films of Broadway hits and some with Elvis Presley singing, but 'Mary Poppins' was the first original screen musical in seven years—since 'Gigi.' Since then, everything is a musical.

"There is far more opportunity for Tony and me over here than in England. It is something to do with the fact that the whole show business scene is much bigger in this country. More product is needed.

"Also the English attitude toward the musical is that it is something amateurs can do if that is what they enjoy —like tennis—it is not really a profession. But musical films are beginning to be made in England now; we'll see if they start being taken seriously.

"One can never tell how long the present film boom will run on musicals. It would suit me very well if it would run a long time.

"I imagine it will continue until somebody lays a $10 million egg."

THE TOP TEN

Best-selling records of the week based on The Cash Box Magazines nationwide survey

"Love Is Blue," Mauriat
"Green Tambourine," Lemon Pipers
"Judy in Disguise," Fred
"Spooky," Classics IV
"I Wish it Would Rain," Temptations
"Nobody But Me," Human Beinz
"Bend Me, Shape Me," American Breed
"Goin' Out of My Head," Lettermen
"Baby Now that I've Found You," Foundations
"My Baby Must Be a Magician," Marvelettes

(NEA Telephoto)

WHITNEY YOUNG JR., executive secretary of the National Urban League, led off Congress' first investigation into big city riots by testifying that the causes of violence in Newark were practically blueprinted by city officials when they applied for federal "model cities" aid.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF SIKESTON)
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STATE OF MISSOURI)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF APRIL 2, 1968, TO VOTE ON EXTENSION OF CITY LIMITS OF CITY OF SIKESTON, MISSOURI

All voters of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, are hereby notified that a Special Election of said City will be held on Tuesday, April 2, 1968, at which time the question of whether or not the City of Sikeston, Missouri, shall extend its City Limits to include the following described property located in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in Section 28, Township 26 North, Range 14 East, Scott County, Missouri, said point being on the existing East corporate limit line of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, and said point being the intersection of a line parallel to and 300 feet South of the South right of way line of Ables road with a line extended South from the West corporate limit line of the City of Miner, Missouri, thence North to the Southwest corner of the corporate limit of said City of Miner, thence East along the South corporate limit line of said City of Miner to the West right of way line of Missouri State Highway Route AA, Scott County, thence South on and along West right of way line of said Route AA 800 feet, more or less, to the North right of way line of a Scott County road, thence Southwesterly on and along the North right of way line of said Scott County road to a point 30 feet North of the Scott - New Madrid County line, thence West on and along a line approximately 2100 feet to the West side of a North-South road dividing the properties of the Fred Matthews Estate and Glenn Matthews Estate, thence North on and along the West side of said North - South road to a point 300 feet South of the South right of way line of Ables Road, thence East on and along a line 300 feet South of the South right of way line and parallel to Ables Road to the point of beginning.

Shall be submitted to the voters of this City. The above - described property is located generally South of Ables Road and East of Illinois Street extended.

This Special Election will be held at the same times, at the same polling places and by the same Judges and Clerks used for the General Election to be held by said City on Tuesday, April 2, 1968. The ballot to be used will be in the following form:

For Extension of City Limits ☐
Against Extension of City Limits ☐

JOHN W. VAUGHN
City Clerk
City of Sikeston, Mo.

136-141-147

Research Shows Glimmers of Light

How the March of Dimes Fights Birth Defects

By VIRGINIA APGAR, M.D., M.P.H.
Director, Basic Research Dept. The National Foundation March of Dimes

Research into the causes and treatment of birth defects is moving along today at a pace few of us would have believed possible even a decade ago.

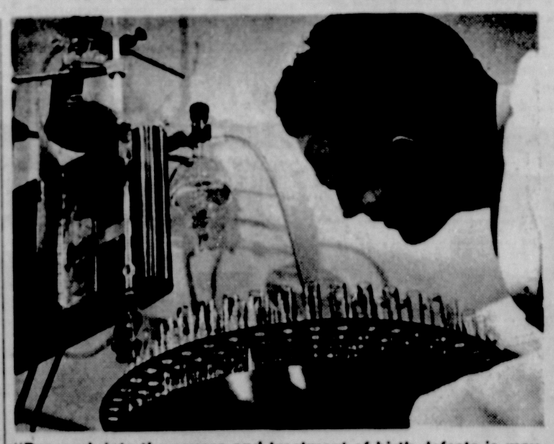
Even so, we scientists are confronted by a long and uphill climb. We lack firm answers to hundreds of questions, but at least our questions are getting sharper and more penetrating. There are a few glimmers of light where, for centuries, there was dark ignorance. As of now, we still cannot prevent most birth defects, but there are at least four areas that show progress.

In research today, perhaps the greatest hope comes from the German measles (rubella) preventive vaccine developed last year by the Federal Government's Division of Biologics Standards of the National Institutes of Health. The vaccine is now undergoing tests around the world. Licensing of this or similar vaccines is expected in another two or three years, well ahead of the next German measles epidemic which will probably hit the United States around 1970.

We have known since 1940 that German measles in the expectant mother, particularly in the first three months of pregnancy, can be a major cause of birth defects.

The German measles epidemic of 1964-'65 caused defects, including blindness, deafness, heart disease and mental retardation, in at least 20,000 infants. Accordingly, if it proves successful, the new vaccine must be considered a medical breakthrough.

Again, in the area of research, medical science is well on its way toward the conquest of Rh disease. In the last decade, due mainly to diagnostic advances and fetal transfusions, mortality has already been reduced substantially from this disorder. In 1955, deaths in the United States from Rh factor totaled about 2,400 while in 1965 the figured dropped to 1,500.



"Research into the causes and treatment of birth defects is moving along today at a pace few of us would have believed possible even a decade ago."

The expectation now is that the disease will be wiped out entirely in the foreseeable future. Recent studies in the United States, England and Germany have demonstrated that by treating an Rh-negative woman very soon after her first pregnancy with a specially prepared gamma globulin, which is obtained from blood, she can be prevented from producing antibodies that would attack the red blood cells of her next infant. This treatment should completely prevent Rh disease except among those women who have already been sensitized.

Another provocative step in research into birth defects, the field which The National Foundation-March of Dimes entered after its successful fight against polio, deals with what is now called "fetal medicine." This means direct treatment of the developing infant within the womb before birth. Some proponents of fetal surgery predict that in 10 years the fetus will be treated by direct intervention into the uterus.

Finally, medical scientists are much interested today in research into the body's immunity system, now believed to be controlled at least in part by the thymus, a butterfly-shaped gland located in the mid-chest area. Recently The National Foundation-March of Dimes sponsored a meeting devoted to this mysterious gland and to immunity mechanisms generally. It is also supporting research in this area.

One intriguing theory maintains that the thymus "dial" may in time be adjusted up or down. Turn down the immunity system to permit a kidney transplant. Turn up the system to destroy a cancer. But this achievement is a bit farther off than the day after tomorrow.

Thus, while the foregoing has made liberal use of oversimplification, we can say that mankind is making progress toward more knowledge about killing and crippling birth defects. It may be the day after tomorrow sooner than we think.

TELEVISION PROGRAM

TIME	KFVS Channel 12 Cape Girardeau	WPSD Channel 6 Paducah	WSIL Channel 3 Harrisburgh
TUESDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	:30 THE REGIONAL NEWS :45 THE SCORES CARD :55 WATCHING THE WEATHER	:30 Huntley-Brinkley -	:00 Adventure Club :15 Lucky Leroy Show :30 Evening News (C)
6	:00 CBS EVENING NEWS - C :30 DANTARI - COLOR CBS	:00 6 P.M. Report - c :30 I Dream of Jeannie	:00 Cactus Pete :25 Weather :30 Garrison Gu
7	:30 RED SKELTON HOUR - C	:00 Dear M. Gable - c	:30 It Takes a Thief(C)
8	:30 B. HUROK PRESENTS-PART I (ARTHUR RUBINSTEIN, DAVID OISTRAKH AND THE BOLSHOI BALLET)	:00 Tues. Night Movie - C "Shadow Over Elveron" (World Prem.	:30 Garrison Gorillas :30 NYPD (C
9	9 :00 CBS NEWS HOUR - (WALTER CRONKITE'S VIETNAM REPORT	,,	:00 Invaders
10	:00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS :15 THE LATE WEATHER :25 THE SPORTS FINAL :30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (MY COUSIN RACHEL-RICHARD BARTON & OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND	:00 News Picture - :30 Tonight Show - c	:00 Weather & News :30 Joey Bishop (C
11	,,	,,	,,
12	:25 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS	,,	:00 News & Sign Off
WEDNESDAY MORNING PROGRAMS			
6			
7	:05 CBS MORNING NEWS - C :30 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW	:00 Today Show - c	
8	:00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO -		
9	:00 CANDID CAMERA CBS :30 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES	:00 Romper Room - c :25 Nancy Dickerson News :30 Concentration -	:00 Jack Lalanne :30 Donna Reed
10	:00 ANDY OF MAYBERRY :30 DICK VAN DYKE SHOW	:00 Personality - c :30 Hollywood Squares	:00 :25 :30
11	:00 LOVE OF LIFE - COLOR :25 NIDDAY NEWS - COLOR :30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW :45 THE GUIDING LIGHT -	:00 Jeopardy - C :30 Eye Guess - C :55 Edwin Newman with News	:00 Bewitched :30 Treasure Isle
12	:00 THE FARM PICTURE :05 NOONDAY NEWS :20 WATCHING THE WEATHER :30 AS THE WORLD TURNS -	:00 News, Farm Markets :15 Pastor Speaks - c :30 Let's Make a Deal -	:00 The Fugitive
1	:00 LOVE IS A MANY SPLENDORED THING - :30 HOUSE PARTY -	:00 Days of our Lives :30 The Doctors - c	:00 Newlywed Game :30 Baby Game (C) :55 Childrens Doctor
2	:00 TO TELL THE TRUTH - :25 DOUGLAS EDWARDS NEWS :30 THE EDGE OF NIGHT -	:00 Another World - :30 You Don't Say -	:00 General Hospital :30 Dark Shadows (C)
3	:00 THE SECRET STORM - :30 MAGIC CASTLE CARTOON	:00 Match Game - C :25 Floyd Kalber with News :30 P. D. Q. - c	:00 Dating Game (C) :30 Family Theatre
4	:00 THE FLINTSTONES - :30 THE VIKE DOUGLAS	:00 Popeye - c :30 Rawhide	:00 The Hour

Scholarship For Harper

CHARLESTON -- Robert Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman I. Harper, is a recipient of a Greater University fund scholarship for the school year at the University of Kansas in Lawrence.

The Greater University Fund Scholarships, based on academic standing and need, cover resident fees for two semesters.

Harper, a junior, is majoring in English at K.U. A 1966 graduate of Charleston high school, he was a member of the band and debate team and attended the state music and speech contests twice. He was a member of the National Honor Society, was a National Merit Semi-finalist and valedictorian of his graduating class.

Besides receiving a Greater University Fund Scholarship, Harper was awarded a National Science Foundation scholarship his freshman year.

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Boise, cloudy	69	51
Boston, cloudy	38	32
Buffalo, cloudy	33	31
Chicago, cloudy	58	30
Cincinnati, clear	54	30
Cleveland, clear	44	20
Denver, clear	60	27
Des Moines, cloudy	63	40
Detroit, clear	49	22
Fairbanks, cloudy	20	-1
Fort Worth, cloudy	54	38
Helena, cloudy	63	32
Honolulu, cloudy	M	M
Indianapolis, clear	56	28
Jacksonville, clear	60	37
Juneau, rain	40	35
Kansas City, clear	61	39
Los Angeles, cloudy	87	60
Louisville, clear	52	37
Memphis, clear	55	34
Miami, cloudy	68	53
Milwaukee, cloudy	56	22
Mpls.-St.P., rain	54	38
New Orleans, cloudy	56	43
New York, clear	45	34
Okla. City, cloudy	56	34
Omaha, clear	66	35
Philadelphia, cloudy	50	34
Phoenix, clear	78	49
Pittsburgh, clear	47	25
Ptlnd, Me., cloudy	31	12
Ptlnd, Ore., rain	67	48
Rapid City, clear	64	28
Richmond, clear	53	35
St. Louis, clear	59	40
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	62	36
San Diego, clear	83	57
San Fran., rain	65	53
Seattle, rain	58	48
Tampa, clear	64	50
Washington, clear	59	36
Winnipeg, clear	35	18

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Extension Council Elects Officers

BLOOMFIELD -- Officers of the University of Missouri extension council of Stoddard county were elected and plans for the conduct of the county extension program during the coming year were made at the annual meeting of the council.

Jimmy Goforth, route one, Catron, was elected chairman of the council for the coming year. Other officers elected included Bill Pippis from Dexter, vice chairman, Bob Lowrey from Parma, secretary, and Louis Asbell from Bloomfield, treasurer.

Morehouse WSCS Meets for Program

MOREHOUSE -- The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rauch - Spence Memorial Methodist church met Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the fellowship room.

Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Frank Kesler, program leader, read a poem. Mrs. Ida Parrish gave a scripture reading. The group sang "In Christ, There Is No East or West," accompanied by Mrs. James Estep, pianist.

Mrs. Gladys Crumpecker led in prayer. The program was given by members.

They sang "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us." Mrs. Nelson Gruen led in prayer.

Dislike for Lines Alters Career Choice

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Sen. Richard M. Webster, R-Carthage, gives this explanation of why he became a lawyer instead of fulfilling his boyood ambition to be a journalist:

He'd completed his first two years of Missouri University, he says, when World War II called him into the military as an enlisted man.

"It seemed like all I did was stand in lines," he said. "Lines for food, for shots, for clothing, lines for everything.

"When I got back to the university I was standing in line to enroll in the Journalism School. A friend walked by who had completed his enrollment, explaining the line was shorter at the Law School.

"So I got in the shorter line."

Kisses Cost Amorous Motorist $14.40 Each

LEIGHTON BUZZARD, England (AP) — Teen-ager Raymond Harrison kissed his girl five times in one zig zagging mile as they drove along a country road.

Harrison, 19, was fined $48 for dangerous driving. His 15-year-old girlfriend, whose name was not disclosed, had to pay $24 for "aiding and abetting."

13 Diamonds Not Good Enough to Win Bridge Hand

FULTON, Mo. (AP)- Mrs. Virgil Johnson Jr. dealt the bridge hand, looked at her cards and saw she had all 13 diamonds.

She called her husband, who was not playing. Johnson looked at the others players' hands out of curiosity and saw:

Mrs. Isabel Lanhan had all 13 hearts.

Mrs. Mary Ann Blackburn had all 13 clubs.

Mrs Cary Drake had all 13 spades.

Unable to keep it to himself, Johnson told the four women each had been dealt a perfect hand. The cards had come from a freshly opened pack but had been shuffled and cut.

The women were too shaken to play the hand, and Mrs. Drake was declared the winner with the high suit in spades.

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GOV. WARREN E. HEARNES joins sportscaster Harry Caray, and Lynne Walbert in launching balloons for the kickoff of the annual Easter Seal campaign. Caray is serving as state campaign chairman and Lynne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Walbert of Campbell, is the 1968 Missouri Easter Seal Child. Contributions to this appeal are used to provide rehabilitation services for the physically handicapped.

Easter Seal Campaign Opens

ST. LOUIS -- The 1968 Easter Seal campaign has opened and will run through April 14, Easter Sunday, according to state campaign chairman, Harry Caray, St. Louis Cardinal sportscaster.

"The Campaign will include the traditional Easter Seal mail appeal," Caray said, "with many of the 115 county Easter Seal societies and other interested groups sponsoring special fund-raising benefits."

Last year the Missouri Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults financed rehabilitation services for 7,147 physically handicapped children and adults at a cost of $214,329.00.

Medical care and treatment, the purchase or loan or braces, wheelchairs and other prescribed equipment, speech and hearing therapy, and transportation to rehabilitation centers accounted for the major part of the expenditures. The largest groups receiving help from the Society were those with major deformities of bones and joints, speech and hearing defects, cerebral palsy, cardiovascular accidents and neuromuscular disorders.

A total of $4,644,21 for scholarships was awarded to 25 students majoring in special education, vocational rehabilitation, physical, occupational or speech therapy.

"Despite medical and scientific advances, the ranks of the handicapped are growing, and more money than ever before is needed to continue helping them," Carey said. "During this appeal we hope to raise $350.000.00."

If You Were The Judge

Premature Death Report Not Libelous

While Kilroy wasn't particularly afraid of ghosts, he became quite unnerved when he discovered HE was the ghost. According to the obituary column in a local newspaper, he had died two days earlier. Not one to go off half-cocked, however, Kilroy first looked in a mirror to make sure the newspaper wasn't right, and then sued the publisher for libel.

"The premature notice of my death," he complained in court, "has made me the laughing stock of the town. There are more jokes about me now than about traveling salesmen."

"Kilroy's just too sensitive," retorted the publisher. "While we may have made a mistake, we didn't libel him. All we said about him was that he was dead. Considering that some of the best people die, what's so defamatory about it?"

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Kilroy to collect for being libeled?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that a premature report of a person's death is not libelous since there is no dishonor in dying.

(Based upon a 1915 Montana Supreme Court Decision)

The Prayer *from The Upper Room*

"Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." (Luke 5:8, RSV)

PRAYER: Father, forgive us our sins. Help us to be better than we are. Strengthen us in faith, fellowship and service. Sustain us till our work is done, and then receive us to Thyself. Through Jesus Christ, Thy Son. Amen.

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Ann Landers

Girl Friend Embarassed By Name of Wonderful Guy

Dear Ann Landers: Am I crazy? If you think so, please tell me. I am going with a wonderful fellow who has an odd last name. Most people, when they see the name in print, pronounce it incorrectly and it comes out like a dirty four letter word.

Would I be way out of line to ask my boyfriend to change the spelling of his name so people would not become so embarrassed? I've seen folks stammer and get red in the face -- afraid to even try it. Advise me, please. -- A BLUSHER

Dear Blusher: Has the boy asked you to marry him? Have you said yes? If so, I see nothing wrong in asking him to change the spelling of his name because it will be your name, too. If you don't plan to marry him, honey, keep quiet. The problem is a temporary one.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a girl 22 years old who makes very good money doing housework for two families. One family has three children and I really work my head off over there on Mondays and Fridays. The second family is actually a widower who lives alone and sends his laundry out. The work in his place is very light. I have been going there on Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays.

I will be honest, Ann, and tell you that I have spend some nights at the widower's place and he has been awfully good to me. Last week he suggested that I quite the other place and stay with him full time. He has offered to pay for my voice lessons and says I could make a real name for myself if I practiced hard. I have always wanted to sing professionally and this might be my big chance. Please be practical, Ann. I need your advice. -- SUGAR THROAT

Dear Sugar: It sounds as if you have already made a name for yourself, but it wouldn't look good in a family newspaper.

What you have in mind is no short cut to fame or anything else, except trouble. If you would like a full-time housework job with a live-in arrangement, the want ads and the employment agencies can provide you with a long list to choose from. If you want voice lessons, pay for them yourself. It could be a whole lot cheaper in the long run.

Dear Ann Landers: Last week two friends (not close) mentioned rather casually that they had given my name as a credit reference. One of these acquaintances I encountered at a church auxiliary luncheon. The other I bumped into at the bus stop.

So far no one has called me nor have I received anything in the mail, but if I vouch for these people does it mean I must make good on their bills if they don't pay?

I'm a little annoyed to be put on the spot like this. It seems to me they should have first asked if I would be willing to be used a reference. Yes or no? -- ON MY EAR

Dear Ear: It is polite to ask, but most people don't. The just assume.

You are not responsible for making good the debts incurred by people for whom you have vouched -- unless, that is, you sign something stating that you will do so.

Confidential to Bible Reader: I agree, the Bible contains as much advice which is just as sound and applicable as if it were written yesterday. Although it is too late for you to "go forth and multiply," the companionship you describe could be a fine thing. Wasn't it St. Paul who said, "It is not good for man to be along"?

What awaits you on the other side of the marriage veil? How can you be sure your marriage will work? Read Ann Landers' booklet "Marriage -- What To Expect." Send your request to Ann Landers in care of your newspaper enclosing 50¢ in coin and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Looking Back

Fall off Lumber Breaks Arm

50 years ago
March 5, 1918

MATTHEWS -- Miss Helen Waters fell off a pile of lumber on which she was playing last Sunday and broke her arm.

Public School notes. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts ran a stand at the sale at Dr. Dunaway's farm on February 26th. The following girls and boys helped to run the stand: Mary and Catherine Blanton, Kathryn Jewell, Glenn Hoskins, Ruth McCoy, Abbie Morrison, Ned Tanner, Alfred Joseph Moore, Craven Watkins, Paul and Carl Denman, Henry Skillman, Paul Gilbert, and Russell Milem.

Morley -- A message was received at Morley Tuesday that Will Evans, a soldier boy was very ill of meningitis in Camp Funston. He was home on a furlough about two weeks ago.

Blodgett - Arthur Withrow and family moved into their property bought of Frank Withrow last week. Blodgett welcomes this estimable family into its citizenship.

40 years ago
March 5, 1928

Roy Anderson, a former resident of Sikeston, has gone to Flat River to take a position with the Metropolitan Insurance Co. Mrs. Anderson, who is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Inman, on Moore avenue, will join him in Flat River in about two weeks.

Miner Switch -- Ralph Whiteside and family moved to the Casper Taylor farm this week.

A modern coffee shop that will be convenient in every respect will be opened in the Marshall Hotel building, east of the hotel entrance, in less than two weeks, according to G. P. Van Arsdale, proprietor of the hotel. The room, formerly occupied by the Heisler pool hall, will be revamped and redecorated for the new restaurant. The Heisler business has been moved west on Malone avenue to a location in the Moore building.

30 years ago
March 5, 1938

Coach Vernon Green's mighty midgets roared down the home stretch to snatch the regional state cage tourney title from Kewanee here Saturday night, 16-13.

Ten men on the Bulldogs' squad and Coach Vernon Green will leave here early Wednesday for Columbia, where they will participate in the state basketball tournament to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Making the trip will be Buddy Aldridge, Paul David Allen, Carol Davis, DeWitt Lambert, Clyde Long, Ray Carl Marsh, Tommy Marshall, Byron Smith, Fonnie Swaim and Harold Swanagon. Six of the men are seniors, Long, Swaim, Marshall, Smith, Allen and Marsh. They will be playing their last game for Sikeston.

A crew of 45 WPA laborers Friday morning dug into the east side of the airport field to begin work on Sikeston's new municipal golf course.

20 years ago
March 5, 1948

The following Sikeston discharges have been recorded in the office of J. M. Law at the court house: Lloyd R. Shy, army; Hobert Lambert, army; Roger A. Bailey, army; Charles E. Spencer, army; and Joe B. Moll, army.

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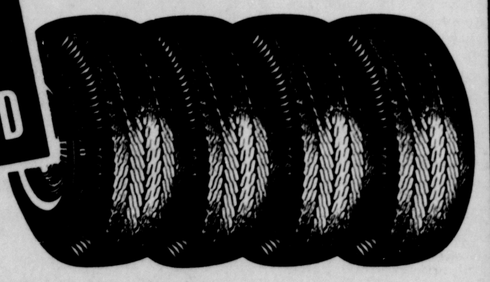

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12	LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS	,,	News & Sign Off
WEDNESDAY MORNING PROGRAMS			
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8	CAPTAIN KANGAROO -		
9	CANDID CAMERA CBS BEVERLY HILLBILLIES	Romper Room - C Nancy Dickerson News Concentration -	Jack Lalanne Donna Reed
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11	LOVE OF LIFE - COLOR NOONDAY NEWS - COLOR SEARCH FOR TOMORROW THE GUIDING LIGHT -	Jeopardy - C Eye Guess - C Edwin Newman with News	Bewitched Treasure Isle
12	THE FARM PICTURE NOONDAY NEWS WATCHING THE WEATHER AS THE WORLD TURNS -	News, Farm Markets Pastor Speaks - C Let's Make a Deal -	The Fugitive
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4	THE FLINTSTONES - THE KIRK DOUGLAS	Flippers - C Rawhide	The Hour

Scholarship For Harper

CHARLESTON -- Robert Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman I. Harper, is a recipient of a Greater University fund scholarship for the school year at the University of Kansas in Lawrence.

The Greater University Fund Scholarships, based on academic standing and need, cover resident fees for two semesters.

Harper, a junior, is majoring in English at K.U. A 1966 graduate of Charleston high school, he was a member of the band and debate team and attended the state music and speech contests twice. He was a member of the National Honor Society, was a National Merit Semi-finalist and valedictorian of his graduating class.

Besides receiving a Greater University Fund Scholarship, Harper was awarded a National Science Foundation scholarship his freshman year.

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	High	Low
Albany, cloudy	42	30
Albuquerque, clear	59	32
Atlanta, clear	55	27
Bismarck, cloudy	52	27
Boise, cloudy	69	51
Boston, cloudy	38	32
Buffalo, cloudy	33	31
Chicago, cloudy	58	30
Cincinnati, clear	54	30
Cleveland, clear	44	20
Denver, clear	60	27
Des Moines, cloudy	63	40
Detroit, clear	40	22
Fairbanks, cloudy	20	-1
Fort Worth, cloudy	54	38
Helena, cloudy	63	32
Honolulu, cloudy	M	M
Indianapolis, clear	56	28
Jacksonville, clear	60	37
Juneau, rain	40	35
Kansas City, clear	61	39
Los Angeles, cloudy	87	60
Louisville, clear	52	37
Memphis, clear	55	34
Miami, cloudy	68	53
Milwaukee, cloudy	56	22
Mpls.-St.P., rain	54	38
New Orleans, cloudy	56	43
New York, clear	45	34
Okla. City, cloudy	56	34
Omaha, clear	66	35
Philadelphia, cloudy	50	34
Phoenix, clear	78	49
Pittsburgh, clear	47	25
Ptlnd, Me., cloudy	31	12
Ptlnd, Ore., rain	67	48
Rapid City, clear	64	28
Richmond, clear	53	35
St. Louis, clear	59	40
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	62	36
San Diego, clear	83	57
San Fran., rain	65	53
Seattle, rain	58	48
Tampa, clear	64	50
Washington, clear	59	36
Winnipeg, clear	35	18

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Extension Council Elects Officers

BLOOMFIELD -- Officers of the University of Missouri extension council of Stoddard county were elected and plans for the conduct of the county extension program during the coming year were made at the annual meeting of the council.

Jimmy Goforth, route one, Catron, was elected chairman of the council for the coming year. Other officers elected included Bill Pippis from Dexter, vice chairman, Bob Lowrey from Parma, secretary, and Louis Asbell from Bloomfield, treasurer.

Morehouse WSCS Meets for Program

MOREHOUSE -- The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Rauch - Spence Memorial Methodist church met Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the fellowship room.

Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Frank Kesler, program leader, read a poem. Mrs. Ida Parrish gave a scripture reading. The group sang "In Christ, There Is No East or West," accompanied by Mrs. James Estep, pianist.

Mrs. Gladys Crumpecker led in prayer. The program was given by members.

They sang "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us." Mrs. Nelson Gruen led in prayer.

Dislike for Lines Alters Career Choice

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Sen. Richard M. Webster, R-Carthage, gives this explanation of why he became a lawyer instead of fulfilling his boyood ambition to be a journalist:

He'd completed his first two years of Missouri University, he says, when World War II called him into the military as an enlisted man.

"It seemed like all I did was stand in lines," he said. "Lines for food, for shots, for clothing, lines for everything.

"When I got back to the university I was standing in line to enroll in the Journalism School. A friend walked by who had completed his enrollment, explaining the line was shorter at the Law School.

"So I got in the shorter line."

Kisses Cost Amorous Motorist $14.40 Each

LEIGHTON BUZZARD, England (AP) — Teen-ager Raymond Harrison kissed his girl five times in one zig zagging mile as they drove along a country road.

Harrison, 19, was fined $48 for dangerous driving. His 15-year-old girlfriend, whose name was not disclosed, had to pay $24 for "aiding and abetting."

13 Diamonds Not Good Enough to Win Bridge Hand

FULTON, Mo. (AP)- Mrs. Virgil Johnson Jr. dealt the bridge hand, looked at her cards and saw she had all 13 diamonds.

She called her husband, who was not playing. Johnson looked at the others players' hands out of curiosity and saw:

Mrs. Isabel Lanhan had all 13 hearts.

Mrs. Mary Ann Blackburn had all 13 clubs.

Mrs Cary Drake had all 13 spades.

Unable to keep it to himself, Johnson told the four women each had been dealt a perfect hand. The cards had come from a freshly opened pack but had been shuffled and cut.

The women were too shaken to play the hand, and Mrs. Drake was declared the winner with the high suit in spades.

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GOV. WARREN E. HEARNES joins sportscaster Harry Caray, and Lynne Walbert in launching balloons for the kickoff of the annual Easter Seal campaign. Caray is serving as state campaign chairman and Lynne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Walbert of Campbell, is the 1968 Missouri Easter Seal Child. Contributions to this appeal are used to provide rehabilitation services for the physically handicapped.

Easter Seal Campaign Opens

ST. LOUIS -- The 1968 Easter Seal campaign has opened and will run through April 14, Easter Sunday, according to state campaign chairman, Harry Caray, St. Louis Cardinal sportscaster.

"The Campaign will include the traditional Easter Seal mail appeal," Caray said, "with many of the 115 county Easter Seal societies and other interested groups sponsoring special fund-raising benefits."

Last year the Missouri Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults financed rehabilitation services for 7,147 physically handicapped children and adults at a cost of $214,329.00.

Medical care and treatment, the purchase or loan or braces, wheelchairs and other prescribed equipment, speech and hearing therapy, and transportation to rehabilitation centers accounted for the major part of the expenditures. The largest groups receiving help from the Society were those with major deformities of bones and joints, speech and hearing defects, cerebral palsy, cardiovascular accidents and neuromuscular disorders.

A total of $4,644,21 for scholarships was awarded to 25 students majoring in special education, vocational rehabilitation, physical, occupational or speech therapy.

"Despite medical and scientific advances, the ranks of the handicapped are growing, and more money than ever before is needed to continue helping them," Carey said. "During this appeal we hope to raise $350.000.00."

If You Were The Judge

Premature Death Report Not Libelous

While Kilroy wasn't particularly afraid of ghosts, he became quite unnerved when he discovered HE was the ghost. According to the obituary column in a local newspaper, he had died two days earlier. Not one to go off half-cocked, however, Kilroy first looked in a mirror to make sure the newspaper wasn't right, and then sued the publisher for libel.

"The premature notice of my death," he complained in court, "has made me the laughing stock of the town. There are more jokes about me now than about traveling salesmen."

"Kilroy's just too sensitive," retorted the publisher. "While we may have made a mistake, we didn't libel him. All we said about him was that he was dead. Considering that some of the best people die, what's so defamatory about it?"

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Kilroy to collect for being libeled?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that a premature report of a person's death is not libelous since there is no dishonor in dying.

(Based upon a 1915 Montana Supreme Court Decision)

The Prayer *from The Upper Room*

"Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." (Luke 5:8, RSV)

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Girl Friend Embarassed By Name of Wonderful Guy

Dear Ann Landers: Am I crazy? If you think so, please tell me. I am going with a wonderful fellow who has an odd last name. Most people, when they see the name in print, pronounce it incorrectly and it comes out like a dirty four letter word.

Would I be way out of line to ask my boyfriend to change the spelling of his name so people would not become so embarrassed? I've seen folks stammer and get red in the face -- afraid to even try it. Advise me, please. -- A BLUSHER

Dear Blusher: Has the boy asked you to marry him? Have you said yes? If so, I see nothing wrong in asking him to change the spelling of his name because it will be your name, too. If you don't plan to marry him, honey, keep quiet. The problem is a temporary one.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a girl 22 years old who makes very good money doing housework for two families. One family has three children and I really work my head off over there on Mondays and Fridays. The second family is actually a widower who lives alone and sends his laundry out. The work in his place is very light. I have been going there on Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays.

I will be honest, Ann, and tell you that I have spend some nights at the widower's place and he has been awfully good to me. Last week he suggested that I quite the other place and stay with him full time. He has offered to pay for my voice lessons and says I could make a real name for myself if I practiced hard. I have always wanted to sing professionally and this might be my big chance. Please be practical, Ann. I need your advice. -- SUGAR THROAT

Dear Sugar: It sounds as if you have already made a name for yourself, but it wouldn't look good in a family newspaper.

What you have in mind is no short cut to fame or anything else, except trouble. If you would like a full-time housework job with a live-in arrangement, the want ads and the employment agencies can provide you with a long list to choose from. If you want voice lessons, pay for them yourself. It could be a whole lot cheaper in the long run.

Dear Ann Landers: Last week two friends (not close) mentioned rather casually that they had given my name as a credit reference. One of these acquaintances I encountered at a church auxiliary luncheon. The other I bumped into at the bus stop.

So far no one has called me nor have I received anything in the mail, but if I vouch for these people does it mean I must make good on their bills if they don't pay?

I'm a little annoyed to be put on the spot like this. It seems to me they should have first asked if I would be willing to be used a reference. Yes or no? -- ON MY EAR

Dear Ear: It is polite to ask, but most people don't. The just assume.

You are not responsible for making good the debts incurred by people for whom you have vouched -- unless, that is, you sign something stating that you will do so.

Confidential to Bible Reader: I agree, the Bible contains as much advice which is just as sound and applicable as if it were written yesterday. Although it is too late for you to "go forth and multiply," the companionship you describe could be a fine thing. Wasn't it St. Paul who said, "It is not good for man to be along"?

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Looking Back

Fall off Lumber Breaks Arm

50 years ago
March 5, 1918

MATTHEWS -- Miss Helen Waters fell off a pile of lumber on which she was playing last Sunday and broke her arm.

Public School notes. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts ran a stand at the sale at Dr. Dunaway's farm on February 26th. The following girls and boys helped to run the stand: Mary and Catherine Blanton, Kathryn Jewell, Glenn Hoskins, Ruth McCoy, Abbie Morrison, Ned Tanner, Alfred Joseph Moore, Craven Watkins, Paul and Carl Denman, Henry Skillman, Paul Gilbert, and Russell Milem.

Morley -- A message was received at Morley Tuesday that Will Evans, a soldier boy was very ill of meningitis in Camp Funston. He was home on a furlough about two weeks ago.

Blodgett - Arthur Withrow and family moved into their property bought of Frank Withrow last week. Blodgett welcomes this estimable family into its citizenship.

40 years ago
March 5, 1928

Roy Anderson, a former resident of Sikeston, has gone to Flat River to take a position with the Metropolitan Insurance Co. Mrs. Anderson, who is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Inman, on Moore avenue, will join him in Flat River in about two weeks.

Miner Switch -- Ralph Whiteside and family moved to the Casper Taylor farm this week.

A modern coffee shop that will be convenient in every respect will be opened in the Marshall Hotel building, east of the hotel entrance, in less than two weeks, according to G. P. Van Arsdale, proprietor of the hotel. The room, formerly occupied by the Heisler pool hall, will be revamped and redecorated for the new restaurant. The Heisler business has been moved west on Malone avenue to a location in the Moore building.

30 years ago
March 5, 1938

Coach Vernon Green's mighty midgets roared down the home stretch to snatch the regional state cage tourney title from Kewanee here Saturday night, 16-13.

Ten men on the Bulldogs' squad and Coach Vernon Green will leave here early Wednesday for Columbia, where they will participate in the state basketball tournament to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Making the trip will be Buddy Aldridge, Paul David Allen, Carol Davis, DeWitt Lambert, Clyde Long, Ray Carl Marsh, Tommy Marshall, Byron Smith, Fonnie Swaim and Harold Swanagon. Six of the men are seniors, Long, Swaim, Marshall, Smith, Allen and Marsh. They will be playing their last game for Sikeston.

A crew of 45 WPA laborers Friday morning dug into the east side of the airport field to begin work on Sikeston's new municipal golf course.

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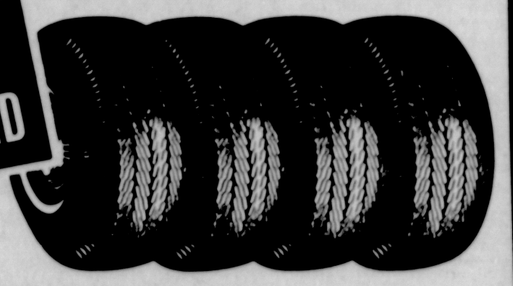

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Today's highlight in history:

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On this date:

In 1766, Spain took possession of New Orleans.

In 1868, the U.S. Senate was organized into a court of impeachment to decide on charge against President Andrew Johnson.

In 1877, Rutherford B. Hayes was inaugurated as the 19th U.S. president.

In 1933, Adolf Hitler and his Nazi party took over power in elections in Germany.

In 1953, Soviet Premier Josef Stalin died in his Kremlin apartment in Moscow after 29 years in office.

In 1946, Britain's Sir Winston Churchill introduced the term "Iron Curtain" — in a speech at Westminster College in Fulton, Mo.

Ten years ago — President Dwight D. Eisenhower urged Americans to make more purchases, to help end an economic slump at that time.

Five years ago — Cuba told the United Nations the United States was preparing aggression against the island.

One year ago — An airliner crashed at Kenton, Ohio, killing 37 persons, and a crash in Liberia killed 48.

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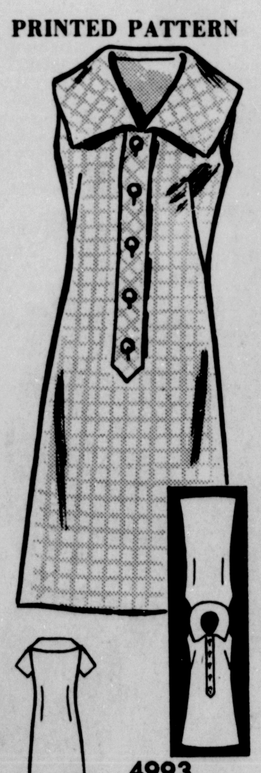

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13 Sides	43 Be	73 Unnecessary	
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15 Ready	45 Stormy	75 Arguments	
16 Goes	46 Ask	76 Of	
17 Cooperation	47 And	77 From	
18 Well	48 Favors	78 Words	
19 Add	49 Under	79 Hidden	
20 From	50 Be	80 Old	
21 Concentrate	51 Stress	81 Increasing	
22 Honey	52 Any	82 Uncertainties	
23 Harmony	53 Pleasant	83 Sought	
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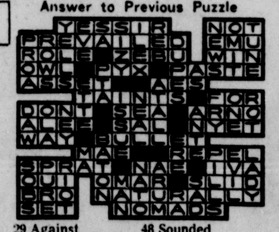

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15 Surrender
16 Baranof mountain
17 Siberian stream
18 Museum custodian
20 Perches for fowls
22 Large carnivores
24 Oceanic game fishes
28 Test, as food
33 Operatic solo
34 Snare for game
36 Gaseous element
37 Communists
38 Observe
39 Horse's gait
40 Hereditary class in India
42 Emit rays
44 Sew lightly
46 Stunted trees
50 Sea nymph
55 Outer garment
56 Pedal digit
58 Assistant
59 French river
60 Mr. Sullivan and namesakes
61 Woody plant
62 Second-year sheep (pl.)
63 Short-napped fabric
64 Gunlock catch

DOWN

1 Imitate
2 Awry
3 Predict (dial.)
4 Retain
5 Certain court examinations
6 Too
7 Be filled with desire
8 Beautiful (comb. form)
9 Islands (Fr.)
10 Canvas shelter
11 Affirmative votes
19 Samuel's teacher (Bib.)
21 Hop's kiln
23 Willows used in basketry
24 Grape refuse
25 Plane surface
26 Disencumbers
27 Shoemaker's gadget
29 Against
30 Wheys of milk
31 Blow, as a horn
32 Grafted (her.)
35 Tidiness
41 Tidal reflux
43 Scottish stream
45 Fall flower
46 Highlander
47 Apple center
48 Sounded sonorously, as a bell
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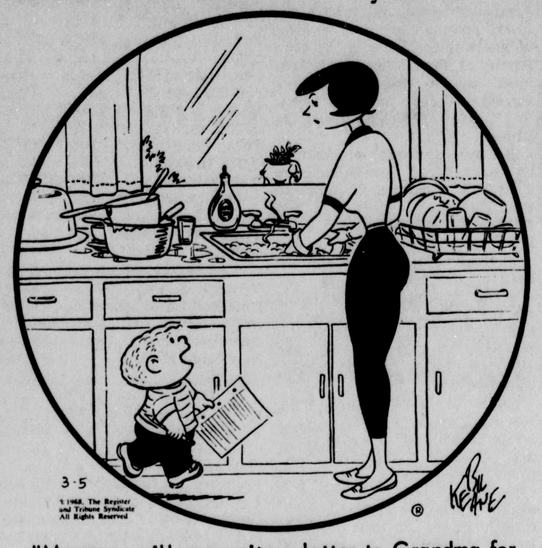

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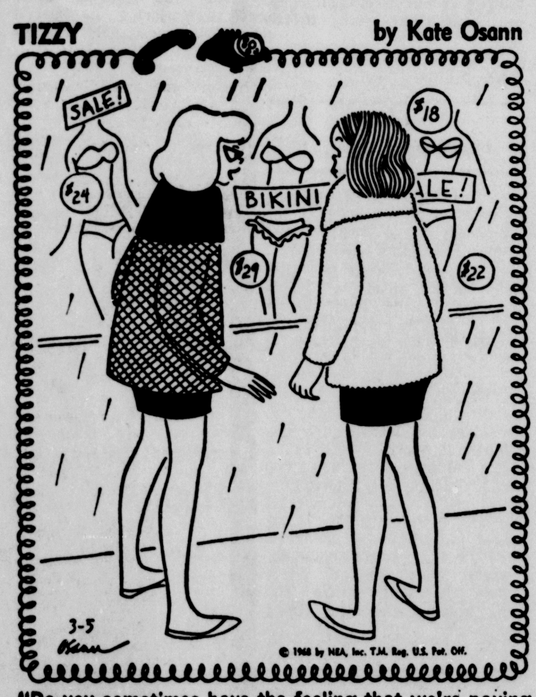

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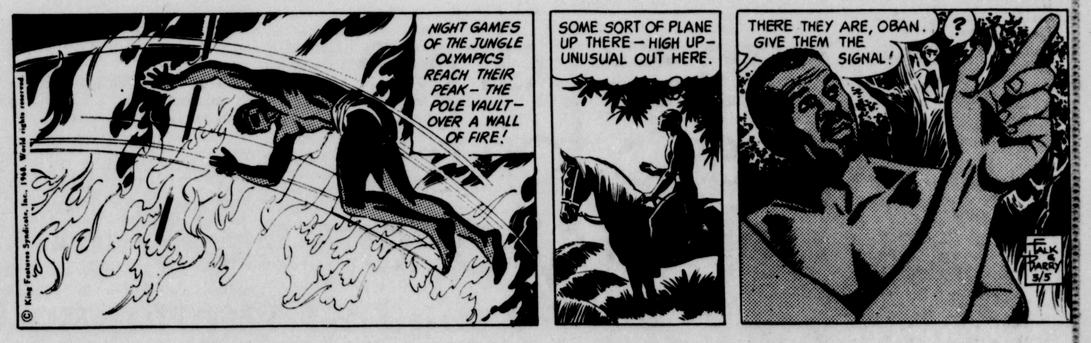

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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Mrch 5, the 65th day of 1968. There are 301 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1770, British troops and a Boston crowd clashed. The incident became known as the Boston massacre and hastened the American revolution.

On this date:

In 1766, Spain took possession of New Orleans.

In 1868, the U.S. Senate was organized into a court of impeachment to decide on charge against President Andrew Johnson.

In 1877, Rutherford B. Hayes was inaugurated as the 19th U.S. president.

In 1933, Adolf Hitler and his Nazi party took over power in elections in Germany.

In 1953, Soviet Premier Josef Stalin died in his Kremlin apartment in Moscow after 29 years in office.

In 1946, Britain's Sir Winston Churchill introduced the term "Iron Curtain"— in a speech at Westminster College in Fulton, Mo.

Ten years ago — President Dwight D. Eisenhower urged Americans to make more purchases, to help end an economic slump at that time.

Five years ago — Cuba told the United Nations the United States was preparing aggression against the island.

One year ago — An airliner crashed at Kenton, Ohio, killing 37 persons, and a crash in Liberia killed 48.

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33 Operatic solo
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36 Gaseous element
37 Communists
38 Observe
39 Horse's gait
40 Hereditary class in India
42 Emit rays
44 Sew lightly
46 Stunted trees
50 Sea nymph
55 Outer garment
56 Pedal digit
58 Assistant
59 French river
60 Mr. Sullivan and namesakes
61 Woody plant
62 Second-year sheep (pl.)
63 Short-napped fabric
64 Gunlock catch

DOWN

1 Imitate
2 Awry
3 Predict (dial.)
4 Retain
5 Certain court examinations
6 Too
7 Be filled with desire
8 Beautiful (comb. form)
9 Islands (Fr.)
10 Canvas shelter
11 Affirmative votes
19 Samuel's teacher (Bib.)
21 Hop's kiln
23 Willows used in basketry
24 Grape refuse
25 Plane surface
26 Disencumbers
27 Shoemaker's gadget
29 Against
30 Wheys of milk
31 Blow, as a horn
32 Grafted (her.)
35 Tidiness
41 Tidal reflux
43 Scottish stream
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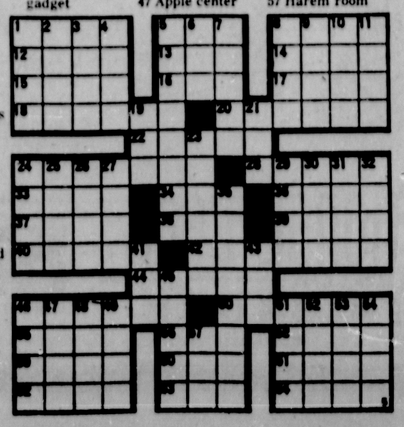

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Romney Not Endorsing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Michigan Gov. George Romney said today he is not endorsing New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller or anyone else for the Republican presidential nomination at this time.

Romney, who quit the race for nomination Wednesday, said he hopes to work with Republican governors and others in the party to get behind a candidate all can support.

Romney said he would join in supporting whatever candidate the governors and others agree upon. He said the others would include Republicans in Congress and party leaders across the country.

"I have not endorsed any individual candidate," the Michigan governor told a news conference. And Romney said he would not attempt to deliver his admittedly sparse support in the New Hampshire presidential primary campaign to Rockefeller.

"I will not urge my supporters in New Hampshire to support any individual candidate in New Hampshire," he said.

Hearing for Collector Set For April 14

JACKSON, Mo --A preliminary hearing will be held April 14 for Bill W. Rose, former Cape Girardeau County collector who is charged in magistrate court with paying for personal and political services with county funds.

Magistrate Roland G Busch disqualified himself from hearing the preliminary arguments and named Magistrate Walter Eggers of Perry County to conduct the hearing.

Rose also is charged in circuit court with two counts of misconduct in office, both misdemanconduct in office, both misdemeanors.

FANCY SHOOTING

GROEBMING, Austria (AP) A hunter aimed his rifle at a deer, and caused rail traffic to be disrupted for over two hours after he pulled the trigger.

Police said the bullet hit the overhead powerline of the railroad. The deer escaped unhurt.

George Kirk's Sister Dies

Mrs. D. E. McCoy, 86, died of a stroke at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Host House in Charleston. She was born Jan. 27, 1882, in Ridgeway, daughter of George Thomas and Felina Hamm Kirk.

She formerly lived at 226 Helen St.

Survivors are one son, Kirk McCoy, Bertrand; one brother, George W. Kirk, 1014 North Kingshighway; one niece, Mrs. Harold Lane, Memphis.

Services will be at 7 p.m. tonight in the Welsh Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Lee Fansler, Bertrand Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the family plot in the Columbia cemetery.

No City Sticker

Theodore Presnell, 508 West Gladys, was issued a summons at 1:25 p.m. Monday on East Gladys charging him with operating a motor vehicle with no city auto license.

Downs Joins Lt. Governor Race

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — State Sen. John E. Downs, D-St. Joseph, filed today for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor.

He was the seventh Democrat to file for the office, the most sought after statewide office up for election this year.

One other Democrat is reported on the verge of filing. He is Edward L. Dowd, president of the St. Louis Police Board.

Downs, 50, is a native of St. Joseph and a graduate of the University of Missouri Law School He served two terms as Buchanan County prosecuting attorney and was a Marine fighter pilot in World War II.

He was elected to the House of Representatives in 1956 and to the Senate in 1960. His present term does not end until 1971 and he does not plan to resign from the Senate while seeking the nomination for lieutenant governor.

Most of the languages of Asia and Europe probably developed from the Indo-European.

A CHECK FROM the Sears Roebuck and Co. store is presented by Mrs. LaDona Fletcher, assistant manager, left, to Miss Pam Ring, a volunteer Joy Worker with the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic. The money will be used to help buy a bus to transport patients.

Services Held For Victim of Car Accident

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- Services for Johnie Lee Winchester, who was killed in a traffic accident Saturday night in Scott County, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Morgan Funeral Home in Advance.

The Rev. Frank Heitman, pastor of the Assembly of God Church of Advance, conducted the services. Burial was in the Dongola Cemetery.

Winchester, 18 years old, was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Winchester.

His father is division operations manager for the Uregas Service Co., where the youth was employed.

He was born Oct. 21, 1949, in Cape Girardeau. For a time, the father was stationed at the company plant in Poplar Bluff and then at Warrenton, before being transferred to Cape Girardeau two years ago.

Winchester attended schools in those cities, graduating from Central high school last spring. He attended Southeast Missouri State College during the summer term and part of the fall semester.

Besides is parents, survivors are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winchester, Advance, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schatte, Painton.

WRY EPITAPH

LOUISVILLE (AP) A small firm which went out of business six weeks after it started operations posted this explanation on the window: "Opened By Mistake."

Gun Wound Fatal for Farmer

ADVANCE -- Carl J. Deck, a farmer, died of a gunshot wound Sunday at his home on Bell City Route 1. A gun was found near the body.

Deck was 56. He was born Sept. 24, 1911, near Bell City, the son of Mr. and Mrs. August N. Deck.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Edith M. Deck, a brother and sister, Paul Deck and Miss Blanche Deck, all of Cape Girardeau.

Services will be conducted in the Morgan Funeral Home Wednesday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. Howard D. Hardeman, pastor of Grace Methodist Church at Cape Girardeau.

Burial will be in Morgan Memorial Park.

Five Most Active Stocks

At 11:30 a.m. the five most active stocks on the New York stocks exchange are:

Hooker Chem	36	off 3/4
McDermott	67	up 2 1/2
Swingline	24 3/8	ugd.
Control Data	100 3/4	up 3 1/2
Occident	30 1/8	up 1/4

Furnished by Lamson Bros. and Company, 122 North Kingshighway. Ann D. Matthews, registered representative.

$1,000 Taken in Safe Burglary At Illmo Store

ILLMO -- About $1,000 was taken in a safe burglary at Harmon's Furniture and Appliance Store early Saturday, Sheriff John Dennis reported.

Entry was gained by prying open the back door. The safe was peeled.

Taken were $770 in cash, $21 in silver dollars and $191.41 in checks.

A STAR AND A DAD

COLUMBIA, S. C. (AP) After helping turn back Wake Forest with his pinpoint passes, South Carolina basketball guard Jack Thompson quipped:

"My wife got so excited in the stands, she'll probably have her baby tonight."

A few hours later, Thompson rushed his wife Christi to the hospital where she later gave birth to an 8-pound, 7-ounce son.

"I wasn't worried," said Christi, "until the doctor walked right past me in the delivery room before the baby was born and shook Jack's hand to congratulate him on the great game he had played."

Retired Idalia Postmaster Dies

BLOOMFIELD -- Mrs. Pearl Amelia Corbin, 70, a retired Idalia postmaster and resident of route three, died at 1:10 p.m. Sunday at the Poplar Bluff hospital where she had been a patient three weeks. Mrs. Corbin had suffered a lingering illness.

She had served as postmaster 12 years. Mrs. Corbin had been a lifelong resident of Stoddard county and was born near Bloomfield in the Hill Community Sept. 12, 1897. She attended the Hill and Dennington schools. She had been a member of the St. Joe General Baptist church at Idalia since 12 and had served as church clerk and Sunday School teacher. On March 2, 1913, she married Isaac Worla Corbin, who died Dec. 2, 1946.

She is survived by three sons, Herman Corbin of Troy, Mich., Lester Corbin of Peoria, Ariz., and Chester Corbin of Route three, Bloomfield; four daughters, Mrs. Irene Williamson of Route three, Bloomfield, Mrs. Lucille Cagle of Dexter, Mrs. Doris Mossman of Poplar Bluff and Mrs. Lois Barnes of Route one, Dexter; 33 grandchildren and eight grandchildren; a brother, Robert Brown of Oildale, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. Opal Harper of Bloomfield and Mrs. Ruth Thompson of Dexter.

The body is at the Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home.

Emery D. Hutson, Farmer, Dies

BENTON -- Emery David Hutson, 87, retired farmer, died Monday noon at the home of his son, Raymond Hutson, five miles southeast of here.

He was born June 30, 1880 in McLeansboro, Ill., son of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Hutson.

He moved to near Sikeston in 1912, where he farmed 18 years, after which he moved to near Kelso. For the past 10 years he made his home with his son.

In September of 1901, he was married to Miss Laura Dell Arterberry, who survives.

Other survivors are four sons, Everett D. Hutson, Raymond Hutson and Noel Hutson, all of Benton, and Fred E. Hutson, O'Fallon, Ill.; one daughter, Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, Scott City; three sisters, Mrs. Emory Hall and Mrs. Clarence Moreland, both of Belleville, Ill., and Mrs. Nace Bollinger, Brownsville, Tex.; 10 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Bisplinghoff Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Dale Huff, pastor of Unity Baptist church near here, officiating.

Burial will be in Lightner cemetery in Illmo.

National Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimates for Wednesday: hogs 6,000; cattle 2,000; calves 100; sheep 300.

Hogs 7,500; barrows and gilts under 240 lbs steady to 25 lower, over 240 lbs fully steady; U.S. 1-2 210-235 lbs 19.50-22.00; U.S. 1-3 220-250 lbs 18.25-19.75; U.S. 2-3 240-270 lbs 18.75-19.25; sows steady; U.S. 1-3 300-350 lbs 18.75-17.50.

Cattle 3,000; calves 175, active; slaughter steers choice 950-1,200 lbs 26.25-27.50; good 24.00-25.50; heifers choice 800-1,000 lbs 25.00-26.25; good 21.50-24.00; cows utility and commercial 16.00-18.50; cutter 15.00 - 17.00; canner 14.00-16.00; choice vealers 35.00-41.00; good 31.00-35.00.

Sheep 250; market fairly active; slaughter lambs and ewes steady; slaughter lambs choice and prime 80-113 lbs 26.00-26.50; choice 24.00-26.00; good 21.00-24.00; ewes utility to choice 4.00-7.50.

HIPPIE TEMPLE IN NEPAL?

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) Hippie leaders are seeking the Nepal government's permission to build a temple at Dhulikhel, three miles from here.

A hippie spokesman said "Hippieism is nearest to Hinduism and Buddhism" and the proposed temple will be the center of research on Hippie religion and culture.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Airlift Int.	5 1/2	5 3/4
Anheuser Busch	79 1/4	80 1/4
Ark Mo Power	11 1/2	12
Fed. Compress	25	25 3/4
Front. Tow.	1 5/8	2 1/4
Gen. Life of Wis	4 3/8	4 3/4
Jeff Std Life	35	35 3/4
Malone & Hyde	25 1/2	26 1/2
Mid Amer. Ins.	3	4
No Amer. Comm.	10 3/4	11 1/2
Pabst Brewing	61 3/4	62 3/4
Wetterau	24 1/2	25 1/2
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		36
Amer Tel & Tel.		50
Chrysler		51
Columbia Gas		27 1/8
Eaton Mfg. Co.		29 1/4
Emerson Electric		89 1/2
Ford Motors		49 1/2
Gen. Motors		74 3/4
New Eng. Elec.		27 1/4
Transogram		22 7/8

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

7 out of 10 people hunting for jobs have finished school.

If you haven't, stay there.

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Sherman Baker Of Malden Dies

MALDEN - Sherman Baker, 56-year-old merchant, died Sunday at 3 a.m. at his home.

A resident of Malden for 20 years, he was born Feb. 23, 1912, in Portageville.

On July 15, 1933, he married Mrs. Mildred Daugherty at Portageville.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Lillian May, Malden; Mrs. Wilma Ellsworth, Granite City, Ill.; Mrs. Sherma Faye Collins and Mrs. Doris Fischer, both of Memphis, a niece, Judy Loomis; one brother, Elmer Baker, Alabama, three sister, Mrs. Estelle Spears and Mrs. Flossie Penrod, both of St. Louis; and Mrs. Clarice Hall, Marquand; and nine grandchildren.

Services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Landess Funeral Chapel. The Rev. D. B. Shaw officiated and burial was in the Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Clara Bost Services Today

BERNIE - Services for Mrs. Cara Bost, 80, who died Friday at the Lucy Lee Hospital, was at 2 p.m. today at the Duffie-Rainey Funeral Chapel.

Burial was in the Bernie cemetery.

Mrs. Bost was born Nov. 3, 1887, at Lilbourn. She was a member of the Bernie Order of the Eastern Star, the Methodist church and had been a mem- of the Royal Neighbors club more than 50 years. She was first married to Charles Mauk, who died and she later married Albert Bost, who also preceded her in death.

She is survived by step-children and a brother, Homer Barnett of Bakersfield, Calif.

'TATER DAY SINCE 1843

BENTON, Ky. (AP) Benton each April hosts visitors coming for 'Tater Day, marking the opening of the spring sessions of the Marshall County Court. It is an annual festival since 1843.

Bell City Farmer Gun Victim

BELL CITY -- Carl Joseph Deck, 56, a farmer living on route one, was found shot to death Sunday morning at his home.

Corner Ray Rainey of Stoddard county said Deck died of a blast through the chest from a 12-guage shotgun. Ranley said there was no evidence of foul play and that an investigation was continuing in the death. He said no inquest will be held.

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Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Edith M. Deck, Cape Girardeau; a brother, Paul Deck, Cape Girardeau; and a sister, Miss Blanche Deck, Cape Girardeau.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Morgan Funeral Chapel in Advance with burial in the Morgan Memorial Park cemetery.

The minister will be the Rev. Howard Hardeman.

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Romney Not Endorsing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Michigan Gov. George Romney said today he is not endorsing New York Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller or anyone else for the Republican presidential nomination at this time.

Romney, who quit the race for nomination Wednesday, said he hopes to work with Republican governors and others in the party to get behind a candidate all can support.

Romney said he would join in supporting whatever candidate the governors and others agree upon. He said the others would include Republicans in Congress and party leaders across the country.

"I have not endorsed any individual candidate," the Michigan governor told a news conference. And Romney said he would not attempt to deliver his admittedly sparse support in the New Hampshire presidential primary campaign to Rockefeller.

"I will not urge my supporters in New Hampshire to support any individual candidate in New Hampshire," he said.

Hearing for Collector Set For April 14

JACKSON, Mo -- A preliminary hearing will be held April 14 for Bill W. Rose, former Cape Girardeau County collector who is charged in magistrate court with paying for personal and political services with county funds.

Magistrate Roland G Busch disqualified himself from hearing the preliminary arguments and named Magistrate Walter Eggers of Perry County to conduct the hearing.

Rose also is charged in circuit court with two counts of misconduct in office, both misdemanconduct in office, both misdemeanors.

FANCY SHOOTING

GROEBMING, Austria (AP) A hunter aimed his rifle at a deer, and caused rail traffic to be disrupted for over two hours after he pulled the trigger.

Police said the bullet hit the overhead powerline of the railroad. The deer escaped unhurt.

George Kirk's Sister Dies

Mrs. D. E. McCoy, 86, died of a stroke at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Host House in Charleston. She was born Jan. 27, 1882, in Ridgeway, daughter of George Thomas and Felina Hamm Kirk.

She formerly lived at 226 Helen St.

Survivors are one son, Kirk McCoy, Bertrand; one brother, George W. Kirk, 1014 North Kingshighway; one niece, Mrs. Harold Lane, Memphis.

Services will be at 7 p.m. tonight in the Welsh Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Lee Fansler, Bertrand Baptist minister, officiating.

Burial will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the family plot in the Columbia cemetery.

No City Sticker

Theodore Presnell, 508 West Gladys, was issued a summons at 1:25 p.m. Monday on East Gladys charging him with operating a motor vehicle with no city auto license.

Downs Joins Lt. Governor Race

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — State Sen. John E. Downs, D-St. Joseph, filed today for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor.

He was the seventh Democrat to file for the office, the most sought after statewide office up for election this year.

One other Democrat is reported on the verge of filing. He is Edward L. Dowd, president of the St. Louis Police Board.

Downs, 50, is a native of St. Joseph and a graduate of the University of Missouri Law School He served two terms as Buchanan County prosecuting attorney and was a Marine fighter pilot in World War II.

He was elected to the House of Representatives in 1956 and to the Senate in 1960. His present term does not end until 1971 and he does not plan to resign from the Senate while seeking the nomination for lieutenant governor.

Most of the languages of Asia and Europe probably developed from the Indo-European.

A CHECK FROM the Sears Roebuck and Co. store is presented by Mrs. LaDona Fletcher, assistant manager, left, to Miss Pam Ring, a volunteer Joy Worker with the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic. The money will be used to help buy a bus to transport patients.

Services Held For Victim of Car Accident

CAPE GIRARDEAU -- Services for Johnie Lee Winchester, who was killed in a traffic accident Saturday night in Scott County, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Morgan Funeral Home in Advance.

The Rev. Frank Heitman, pastor of the Assembly of God Church of Advance, conducted the services. Burial was in the Dongola Cemetery.

Winchester, 18 years old, was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Winchester.

His father is division operations manager for the Uregas Service Co., where the youth was employed.

He was born Oct. 21, 1949, in Cape Girardeau. For a time, the father was stationed at the company plant in Poplar Bluff and then at Warrenton, before being transferred to Cape Girardeau two years ago.

Winchester attended schools in those cities, graduating from Central high school last spring. He attended Southeast Missouri State College during the summer term and part of the fall semester.

Besides is parents, survivors are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winchester, Advance, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schatte, Painton.

WRY EPITAPH

LOUISVILLE (AP) A small firm which went out of business six weeks after it started operations posted this explanation on the window: "Opened By Mistake."

Gun Wound Fatal for Farmer

ADVANCE -- Carl J. Deck, a farmer, died of a gunshot wound Sunday at his home on Bell City Route 1. A gun was found near the body.

Deck was 56. He was born Sept. 24, 1911, near Bell City, the son of Mr. and Mrs. August N. Deck.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Edith M. Deck, a brother and sister, Paul Deck and Miss Blanche Deck, all of Cape Girardeau.

Services will be conducted in the Morgan Funeral Home Wednesday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. Howard D. Hardeman, pastor of Grace Methodist Church at Cape Girardeau.

Burial will be in Morgan Memorial Park.

Five Most Active Stocks

At 11:30 a.m. the five most active stocks on the New York stocks exchange are:

Hooker Chem	36	off 3/8
McDermott	67	up 2½
Swingline	24⅜	ugd.
Control Data	100¾	up 3½
Occident	30⅛	up ¼

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$1,000 Taken in Safe Burglary At Illmo Store

ILLMO -- About $1,000 was taken in a safe burglary at Harmon's Furniture and Appliance Store early Saturday, Sheriff John Dennis reported.

Entry was gained by prying open the back door. The safe was peeled.

Taken were $770 in cash, $21 in silver dollars and $191.41 in checks.

A STAR AND A DAD

COLUMBIA, S. C. (AP) After helping turn back Wake Forest with his pinpoint passes, South Carolina basketball guard Jack Thompson quipped:

"My wife got so excited in the stands, she'll probably have her baby tonight."

A few hours later, Thompson rushed his wife Christi to the hospital where she later gave birth to an 8-pound, 7-ounce son.

"I wasn't worried," said Christi, "until the doctor walked right past me in the delivery room before the baby was born and shook Jack's hand to congratulate him on the great game he had played."

Retired Idalia Postmaster Dies

BLOOMFIELD -- Mrs. Pearl Amelia Corbin, 70, a retired Idalia postmaster and resident of route three, died at 1:10 p.m. Sunday at the Poplar Bluff hospital where she had been a patient three weeks. Mrs. Corbin had suffered a lingering illness.

She had served as postmaster 12 years. Mrs. Corbin had been a lifelong resident of Stoddard county and was born near Bloomfield in the Hill Community Sept. 12, 1897. She attended the Hill and Dennington schools. She had been a member of the St. Joe General Baptist church at Idalia since 12 and had served as church clerk and Sunday School teacher. On March 2, 1913, she married Isaac Worla Corbin, who died Dec. 2, 1946.

She is survived by three sons, Herman Corbin of Troy, Mich., Lester Corbin of Peoria, Ariz., and Chester Corbin of Route three, Bloomfield; four daughters, Mrs. Irene Williamson of Route three, Bloomfield, Mrs. Lucille Cagle of Dexter, Mrs. Doris Mossman of Poplar Bluff and Mrs. Lois Barnes of Route one, Dexter; 33 grandchildren and eight grandchildren; a brother, Robert Brown of Olldale, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. Opal Harper of Bloomfield and Mrs. Ruth Thompson of Dexter.

The body is at the Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home.

Emery D. Hutson, Farmer, Dies

BENTON -- Emery David Hutson, 87, retired farmer, died Monday noon at the home of his son, Raymond Hutson, five miles southeast of here.

He was born June 30, 1880 in McLeansboro, Ill., son of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Hutson.

He moved to near Sikeston in 1912, where he farmed 18 years, after which he moved to near Kelso. For the past 10 years he made his home with his son.

In September of 1901, he was married to Miss Laura Dell Arterberry, who survives.

Other survivors are four sons, Everett D. Hutson, Raymond Hutson and Noel Hutson, all of Benton, and Fred E. Hutson, O'Fallon, Ill.; one daughter, Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, Scott City; three sisters, Mrs. Emory Hall and Mrs. Clarence Moreland, both of Belleville, Ill., and Mrs. Nace Bollinger, Brownsville, Tex.; 10 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Bisplinghoff Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Dale Huff, pastor of Unity Baptist church near here, officiating.

Burial will be in Lightner cemetery in Illmo.

National Livestock Market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimates for Wednesday: hogs 6,000; cattle 2,000; calves 100; sheep 300.

Hogs 7,500; barrows and gilts under 240 lbs steady to 25 lower, over 240 lbs fully steady; U.S. 1-2 210-235 lbs 19.50-22.00; U.S. 1-3 220-250 lbs 18.25-19.75; U.S. 2-3 240-270 lbs 18.75-19.25; sows steady; U.S. 1-3 300-350 lbs 18.75-17.50.

Cattle 3,000; calves 175, active; slaughter steers choice 950-1,200 lbs 26.25-27.50; good 24.00-25.50; heifers choice 800-1,000 lbs 25.00-26.25; good 21.50-24.00; cows utility and commercial 16.00-18.50; cutter 15.00 - 17.00; canner 14.00-16.00; choice vealers 35.00-41.00; good 31.00-35.00.

Sheep 250; market fairly active; slaughter lambs and ewes steady; slaughter lambs choice and prime 80-113 lbs 26.00-26.50; choice 24.00-26.00; good 21.00-24.00; ewes utility to choice 4.00-7.50.

HIPPIE TEMPLE IN NEPAL?

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP) Hippie leaders are seeking the Nepal government's permission to build a temple at Dhulikhel, three miles from here.

A hippie spokesman said "Hippiesm is nearest to Hinduism and Buddhism" and the proposed temple will be the center of research on Hippie religion and culture.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Airlift Int.	5½	5¾
Anheuser Busch	79½	80¼
Ark Mo Power	11½	12
Fed. Compress	25	25¾
Front. Tow.	1⅝	2¼
Gen. Life of Wis	4⅜	4¾
Jeff Std Life	35	35¾
Malone & Hyde	25½	26½
Mid Amer. Ins.	3	4
No Amer. Comm.	10¾	11½
Pabst Brewing	61¾	62¾
Wetterau	24½	25½
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		36
Amer Tel & Tel.		50
Chrysler		51
Columbia Gas		27⅛
Eaton Mfg. Co.		29¼
Emerson Electric		89½
Ford Motors		49½
Gen. Motors		74¾
New Eng. Elec.		27¼
Transogram		22⅞

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

7 out of 10 people hunting for jobs have finished school.

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Sherman Baker Of Malden Dies

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Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Lillian May, Malden; Mrs. Wilma Ellsworth, Granite City, Ill.; Mrs. Sherma Faye Collins and Mrs. Doris Fischer, both of Memphis, a niece, Judy Loomis; one brother, Elmer Baker, Alabama, three sister, Mrs. Estelle Spears and Mrs. Flossie Penrod, both of St. Louis; and Mrs. Clarice Hall, Marquand; and nine grandchildren.

Services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Landess Funeral Chapel. The Rev. D. B. Shaw officiated and burial was in the Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Clara Bost Services Today

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Burial was in the Bernie cemetery.

Mrs. Bost was born Nov. 3, 1887, at Lilbourn. She was a member of the Bernie Order of the Eastern Star, the Methodist church and had been a member of the Royal Neighbors club more than 50 years. She was first married to Charles Mauk, who died and she later married Albert Bost, who also preceded her in death.

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